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Town Officers, 1901.

Selectmen.

J. F. TWISS, Chairman.

C. L. HOLDEN.

C. H. HOBBS.

Assessors.

JOHN O. HAMILTON.

ANDREW A. WARRINER.

HARRY T. BISHOP.

Overseers of the Poor.

WILLIAM MERRIAM, Chairman,

RUFUS L. BOND,

HARRY T. BISHOP,

Term expires 1902

" " 1903

" " 1904

Town Clerk.

JAMES B. SHAW.

Town Treasurer.

J. F. HOLBROOK.

School Committee.

C. H. HOBBS,

H. G. LOOMIS,

R. C. NEWELL,

CHARLES N. SHAW,

G. H. WILKINS, Chairman,

WILLIAM E. McDONALD,

Term expires 1902

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Board of Health.

DR. S. O. MILLER,

DR. G. H. WILKINS,

DR. JACOB SCHNEIDER, Chairman,

Term expires 1902

" " 1903

" " 1904

Tax Collector.

J. AUSTIN HAWKES.

Cemetery Commissioners.

H. G. LOOMIS, Term expires 1902.

J. P. EASTMAN, Term expires 1903

H. E. W. CLARK, Term expires 1904.

Auditors.

E. W. CARPENTER.

C. A. LEGRO.

Constables.

THOMAS J. CONROY.

MICHAEL COLLINS.

JAMES J. MANNING.

JOHN F. LUMAN.

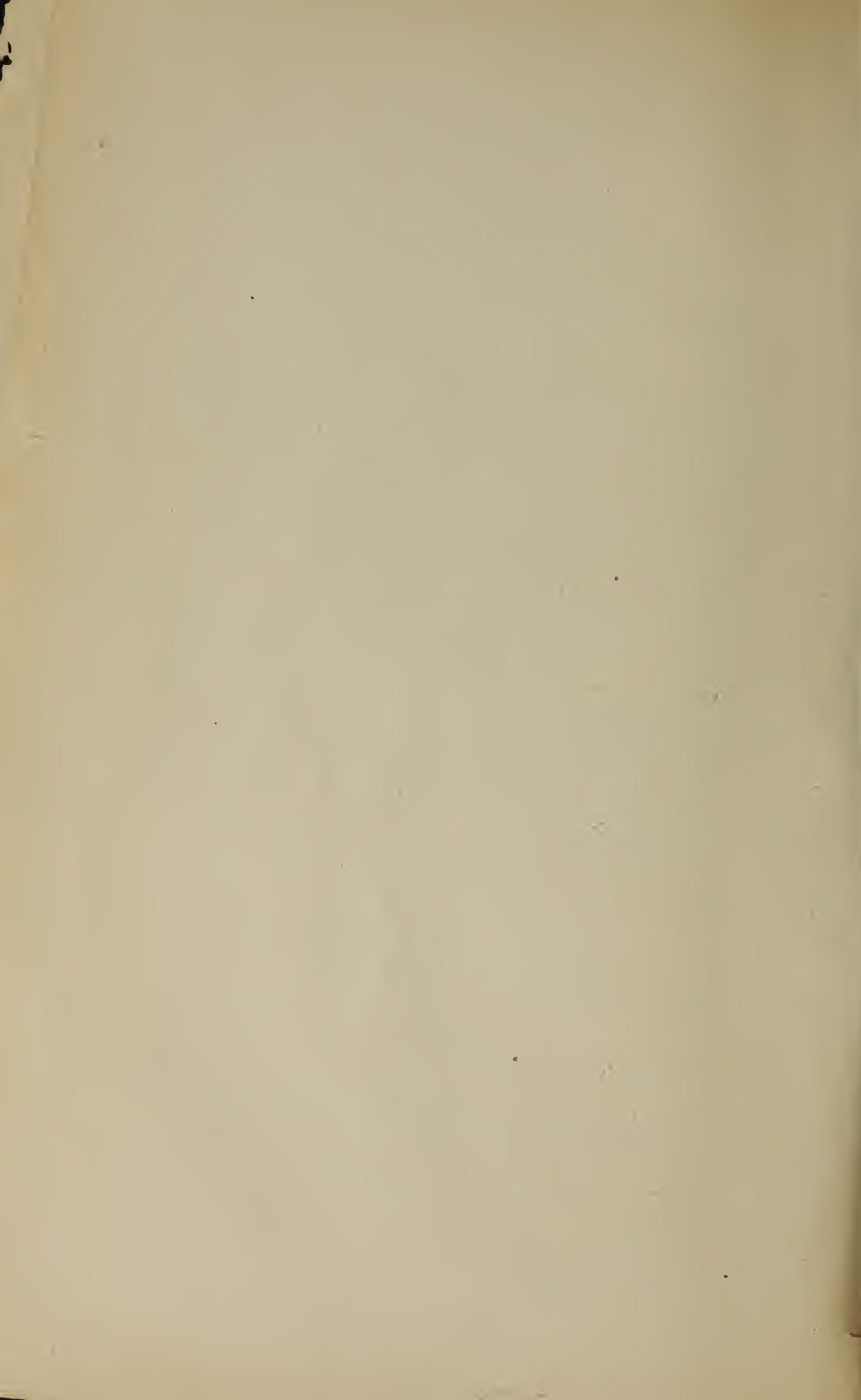
E. F. MCKELLIGOTT.

Fence Viewers.

J. K. KNOX.

H. D. CONVERSE.

H. M. KENDALL.



Assessors' Report.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1901.

Teachers' salaries,	\$15,000.00
Contingencies and Superintendent's salary,	1,800.00
Fuel,	1,800.00
Text books and supplies,	1,000.00
Repairs,	500.00
Transportation,	500.00
Janitors,	1,400.00
Music and drawing,	1,000.00
Insurance,	300.00
Contingencies,	3,000.00
Highways,	5,000.00
Railings,	200.00
Sewers and culverts,	600.00
Bridges,	1,500.00
Illegal sale of liquor,	300.00
Support of poor,	6,500.00
Contingent fund,	300.00
Salaries,	400.00
Auditors' salaries,	40.00
Use of Board of Health,	300.00
Salaries Selectmen,	450.00
Assessors,	550.00
Board of Health,	100.00
Town Treasurer,	300.00
Tax Collector,	350.00
Bonds, Treasurer and Collector,	200.00
Sidewalks,	500.00
Y. M. Library Association,	1,000.00

Memorial Day,	\$ 100.00
Electric lights,	4,500.00
Night police,	1,600.00
Care of cemeteries,	500.00
Bourn street, Three Rivers,	300.00
Shade trees,	50.00
Expenses of road, Three Rivers,	882.00
Land damages,	180.00
Special committees,	100.00
Crosswalks,	200.00
Interest on bonds,	2,000.00

\$55,302.00

Less liquor money, 8,928.00

\$46,374.00

Less estimated receipts, 5,500.00

\$40,874.00

County tax, 3,067.17

State tax, 1,837.50

Repairs of state highway, 5.25

\$45,783.92

4 maturing bonds, 4,000.00

\$49,783.92

Overlay, 523.01

Non-resident bank tax on collector's book, 1,415.07

\$51,722.00

VALUATION FOR 1901.

Personal estate, \$865,083

Resident bank stock, 21,010

Real estate, buildings, 1,533,838

Real estate, land, 482,382

\$2,902,313

Number of polls, 1901, 2,079.

Rate per \$1,000, \$15.90.

JOHN O. HAMILTON, } Assessors
H. T. BISHOP, } of
A. A. WARRINER, } Palmer.

FIRE DISTRICT APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1901.

For water,	\$1,000.00
Firemen's salaries,	400.00
Contingent,	200.00
Janitor,	96.00
Coal,	40.00
Engineer,	50.00
Stoker,	20.00
Chief Engineer,	150.00
First Assistant,	25.00
Second Assistant,	20.00
Treasurer's salary,	30.00
Treasurer's bond,	10.00
Fire patrol,	250.00
For use water committee,	100.00
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	\$2,391.00
Overlay,	24.22
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	\$2,415.22

VALUATION FIRE DISTRICT, 1901.

Personal estate,	\$211,380
Real estate,	884.508
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	\$1,095,888

Rate per \$1,000, \$2.20.

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Accepted

Town Clerk's Report.

RECORDED FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1901.

Number of births,	283
deaths,	141
marriages,	100
marriage certificates issued,	110
chattel mortgages,	18
notices of attachment,	1
assignment of wages,	5
notice of foreclosure,	1
discharge of mortgage,	1
bill of sale,	1

JAS. B. SHAW, *Town Clerk.*

BIRTHS.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAME.
1901		
Jan. 1	Kanorep.	Vizen and Franciska Tebowrski.
1	Francis J.	John P. and Mary E. Manning.
2	Aurore E.	Marc and Elodie Larose.
3	Mary.	John and Sophia Kroule.
10	Lillian C.	John and Mary Shea.
10	Gerald F.	" " "
13	Joseph.	Kajmij and Appolenia Jiobuj.
16	Annie.	Peter and Sophia Lapida.
17	John.	Joseph and Nellie Jawarek.
17	Rosella O.	Ernest and Martha Cleveland.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAME.
Jan. 18	Joseph.	J. A. and Ora Beausoliel.
19	Eva.	Charles and Florence Kruszyna.
20	Marie B. I.	Joseph and Marie Chaguay.
21	Marci.	John and Mary Lasnaik.
22	Stany.	Joseph and Mary Girodi.
23	Harvey P.	James and Exina Bengle.
24	Lizzie.	Simon and Julia Jorezak.
25	Frank.	Albert and Ann Worchoulack.
25	Beatrice.	John and Ceti Costello.
25	Timothy J.	Jerry and Maud E. Denning.
26	Julia.	Daniel and Johanna Lusty.
26	Myrtle.	Chas. J. and Alma Johnson.
26	Stany.	Valdesof and Julia Klinzot.
26	Justina.	Frank and Cenlina Poundak.
28	Joseph.	John and Marie Sarczky.
28	Stany.	George and Kolgene Bodgnesky.
29	Stanis.	Joseph and Sophia Bochak.
29	Mary.	Joseph and Mary Brosky.
30	Hugh Edwin.	Charles P. and Arabella Ruggles.
30	Count E.	William and Marion Reilly.
30	Allan G.	David and Rachel Beveridge.
Feb. 1	William.	Walter and Sarah Burford.
2	Steve.	William and Rosa Vaskarit.
4	Hannora.	Daniel J. and Lizzie Sullivan.
4	James.	Albert and Josie Bashaw.
5	Agatha.	Ignacy and Frances Dinarat.
7	Arthur.	Arthur and Eva Lord.
8	Albert B.	Ernest A. and Ruth M. Marsh.
8	Louis.	Geo. and Sephrone Rogers.
9	Geo. Fred.	Walter R. and Mary Harding.
9	Lester W.	Martin M. and Beulah Thomas.
9	Nellie.	Michael J. and Ann Donahoe.
11	Le Boni.	Joseph and Celina Lacroix.
11	Ellen G.	Wm. and Delia Bovat.
13	Marie R. R.	Theophil and Rachel Liebund.
14	Einer.	John and Ann Lygtman.
14	Angelina A.	Morris and Armena Welch.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAME.
Feb. 15	Rosa.	Michael and Agnes Skrenia.
17	Elizabeth.	Chas. T. and Gertrude Thompson.
18	—	Geo. and Minnie Vacho.
20	Martha D.	James and Margaret Carrigan.
21	James N.	Joseph and Josie Cadaret.
22	Cozma.	Wm. and Katherine Kusza.
23	Wm. Chas.	Adolph and Anna Feinzniger.
24	George E.	Alberic and Luna St. Pierre.
25	Petrace.	Patrick and Annie Cavanaugh.
26	Stanis.	Joseph and Mary Modelkiw.
27	Henrietta.	David and Elizabeth Ritchie.
Mar. 1	Theodore.	Adelard and Emma Robert.
1	James.	James and Nellie Sullivan.
6	Pauline.	Joseph and Eva Pero.
11	Anna.	Mack and Victoria Charlete.
11	Joseph.	Dominique and Mary Moltyke.
12	John.	John and Rebecca Gula.
12	Merrit.	Peter and Belle LaPlante.
14	Francis.	Frank and Lizzie Matera.
14	Lawrence.	Lawrence and Abbie Sullivan.
16	Louisa.	Isaac and Annie Ryder.
18	Felix.	David and Maria Reil.
19	Joseph.	Peter and Eva Swirk.
21	Stanislais.	John and Julia Les.
24	Helina.	Albert and Kate Gondek.
24	Elray.	Michael and Helena Fudick.
25	Ella.	George J. and Ella Merriam.
25	Stanislais.	Stanislais and Anna Mistorka.
25	Joseph.	Marith and Kadjigze Kozlik.
26	Joseph R.	Louis and Georgina Archambault.
26	Clayton L.	Lewis R. and Emma Holden.
27	Amelia.	Michael and Helen Trydwyck.
27	Mable M.	Antona and Delia Fountain.
27	Marie J.	Alfred and Rose Curard.
28	Mary C.	Joseph and Mary Thomas.
Apr. 3	Stanis.	Naciea and Carolina Kuss.
4	Mildred M.	James and Bridget Linehan.

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Apr. 5	George Horace.	Aseph and Alice Gates.
7	John.	John and Mary Debroski.
9	Bridget.	Stanis and Mary Staniska.
10	Caroline.	Antonie and Mary Kroule.
10	Elite G.	John and Mary Ritchie.
11	Sadie.	Anton and Mary Dominiski.
11	George S.	George and Harriet Brandford.
12	Francis R.	James and Nellie Fitzgerald.
13	Joseph A.	Wm. and Emily Lariviere.
13	Frank.	Stanislais and Rosanna Mathews.
17	Vardislas.	Frank and Anny Dominiski.
20	Vowronsh.	John and Maryann Babyon.
20	John.	Wm. and Cardina Seguigda.
21	Clara.	Euzele and Clara Ouwmimette.
23	John.	Egreesky and Victoria Cobis.
25	Leon.	John and Iva Vandreharvish.
25	Charlotte M.	Thomas C. and Charlotte Russell.
28	Josephine.	Martin and Bridget Lirsqust.
29	Patrick H.	John and Nellie Thomas.
May 1	Stenislais.	Albert and Mary Zouest.
1	Mary M.	Fred and Eugenie Dutilly.
2	Marie J.	Delphis and Celina Dupont.
3	James Leon.	James and Martha Summers.
5	Ned Frank.	Ira F. and Jennie M. Brown.
8	Stephane.	Leon and Mary Zebosky.
12	Valida.	Nelson and Emma Prairie.
14	Edgar A. H.	Arthur and Almendire Gervais.
14	Rokel.	Simon and Ann Gustofson.
14	Stanislais.	Stanislais and Barbara Morak.
19	Celia.	John and Nellie McGrath.
22	Bridget.	Valslav and Sophia Psybeykie.
22	Mivenette A.	Carl and Anna Hamilton.
23	Apollonia.	Charles and Katy Begda.
24	Yagna.	Jacob and Julia Ousty.
24	Aneta.	Daniel and Julia Sullivan.
25	Ralph E.	Wm. A. and Rosa Cardinal.
26	Wedie W.	John and Mary Gladsky.

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May 27	Catherine.	Michael and Margaret Hausting.
29	Edwin Earle.	Warren and Lena Dane.
29	Olva E.	Albert and Euclana Lamarine.
31	Stanislais.	Joseph and Mary Para.
June 1	Yolanda M.	James and Catharine Hughs.
3	Harold E.	Wm. and Nora Williams.
4	Ophila.	Joseph and Marie Parda.
9	Joseph R.	Exine and Mary Boissy.
9	Yolande Dagmar.	Adelard and Olive Marsan.
11	Mack.	John and Magda Vvontel.
11	Wilfred.	Charles and Odile Dubois.
12	John.	Stanislais and Franciska Krisiak.
14	William Walter B.	Wm. W. and Sarah A. Clifford.
14	Annie.	John and Mary Goryl.
15	Clifton.	Harry and Emma Bressett.
15	Raymond.	Jason and Lillian Palmer.
17	Alfred.	Adolph and Ann St. Yean.
18	Joseph A.	Stanis and Mary Krule.
22	Mary.	Frank and Mary Smith.
25	Marie E. M.	Albert and Marie Lebault.
25	Henry H.	Albert and Ida Olivier.
27	Vadislof.	Joseph and Mary Yostik.
27	Marie D.	Joseph and Delphine Bouvier.
July 1	Ulric A.	Amable and Rose A. Raymond.
1	Adam A.	Albert and Josephine Colonay.
8	Josephine.	Albert and Chora Goust.
9	Freddy.	Alexander and Lucy Lafleur.
11	Marie T.	Louis and Malvina Tawranglau.
12	George R.	George A. and Alice Smith.
13	Henry G.	Ledger and Delia Martc.
14	Stany.	Stanislais and Bridget Dernayer.
14	Daniel.	Daniel and Katherine Sugrue.
18	Franciska.	John and Mary Kowalczyk.
18	Joseph.	John and Julia Furman.
19	Victoria.	John and Rose Koss.
22	Glnopepa.	Louis and Marie Bogac.
23	Orrin W.	Orrin W. and Jennie Claflin.

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July 25	Stanislais.	Joseph and Kate Vaskiewicz.
25	Gladys F.	Frederick E. and Hattie Wright.
28	Walter E.	Edward and Florence Dent.
29	Agnes.	Lawrence and Mary Ziebi.
30	John.	John and Annie Kroule.
Aug. 2	Mamie.	David and Louisa Gebo.
3	Frederick E.	Dewitt and Emily Richards.
3	Frank.	Stany and Sebina Polansky.
5	Margaret E.	Michael and Mary L. Doyle.
7	Marie A.	Wilbrod and Georgienna Chadrenais.
7	Irene E.	Charles and Elisabeth Freak.
8	John.	Thomas and Bridget Mansfield.
9	Katherine.	Timothy and Kate Shea.
10	Wawsync.	Worciecha and Zadroga Drenzick.
12	Zefphir.	Stanis and Onovati Zeasuck.
12	Thomas Edward.	Timothy and Mary Lane.
13	Philip.	Eugene M. and Exzena Murphy.
15	Mary Helen.	Patrick and Delia Connor.
17	Dora L.	Paul and Clara Christiansen.
17	Nettie.	Bartholemew and Anny Treboula.
18	John.	Edward and Mary Ledger.
18	Marie R.	Joseph and Ann Pelletier.
19	Alice.	Philius and Marie Beauregard.
20	Thadeus.	Macieg and Magdaline Sczygeil.
24	Maybel A.	George A. and Flora Bennett.
24	Alton L. P.	George and Alice Laduke.
24	Wadeswa.	Michael and Amy Mistarlish.
26	Aurise M. A.	Ledger and Azilda Dupries.
28	Joseph.	John and Panelinska Godick.
28	Joseph L.	Adelard and Alida Paquette.
30	Kathleen M.	John L. and Nellie Sullivan.
Sept. 1	Agnes.	John and Any Romanick.
1	Arthur C.	Zephir and Cedulic Laceste.
3	Agnes.	Thomas H. and Sarah J. Cole.
4	Joseph.	Michael and Juslyna Topor.
5	Wilfred.	William and Eudoca Frederic.
9	Clarence McK.	Nils and Katherine Johnson.

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Sep. 11	Stanislais.	Martin and Apolona Poore.
11	Wilfred A.	John and Matilda Matchett.
16	Mary.	John and Carolina Kasky.
19	Michael.	Michael and Zofia Pizaski.
21	John F.	Arthur and Kate Gloster.
21	Freddy.	Antone and Amy Tebswski.
22	Amy.	Joseph and Zofie Dresky.
22	Lloyd E.	William E. and Annie A. Squier.
23	Mary.	Marek and Kate Baiko.
22	Louis H.	Joseph and Delia Drowne.
24	Della B.	Charles S. and Bertha Piper.
28	Ardella.	Rudolf and Victoria Scovera.
Oct. 1	Zofia.	Anthony and Stasia Zobersty.
2	Florida.	Joseph and Rose Gauthier.
2	Olin.	John and Mary White.
5	Asbeta V.	Stany and Bridget Gimba.
8	George F.	Henry and Grace Fisher.
10	Mederic.	Hilaire and Lysa Dufour.
10	Amy.	Anthony and Mary Smith.
12	Albert.	Israel and Kate Brooks.
12	Henry M.	Peter and Oliva Senecal.
16	Stany.	Frank and Maria Solomon.
16	Delina B.	Joseph and Anna Venne.
16	Antone.	Albert and Kodala Kollberg.
19	Ira A.	Volmon and Alma Pelletier.
20	John.	John and Mary Kapinski.
21	Valenti.	John and Victoria Gora.
21	Albert J.	James and Elizabeth Murphy.
22	Agnelia.	Parnell and Maryann Golas.
24	Rosa Louisa.	Mederic and Matilda Bouthillier.
26	Ive.	George and Rose Bouvier.
Nov. 1	Seldon E.	Louis E. and Lena Wells.
3	Laura May.	Pierre and Lena Chabot.
6	Elisabeth.	John and Elisabeth O'Neil.
6	Antonio.	John and Katrina Topor.
7	Stanislais.	Joseph and Carolina Bernal.
7	John.	Jacob and Mary Marrian.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAME.
Nov. 8	John.	Andrew and Carolina Kella.
8	Francis George.	Louis and Julia Laforest.
9	Keady K.	Lawrence and Maggy Chemak.
9	Joseph.	John and Anna Zubuzna.
10	Lawrence.	William and Kate Sullivan.
10	John.	Andrew and Carolina Kaozc.
10	Kaida.	George and Amy Chinorned.
12	Emma May.	Frank and Lena Lamb.
13	Andrew.	Michael and Sophia Kroutzky.
14	Joseph.	Stany and Clizieta Sczlpanak.
15	Ovie Grace.	Jno. E. and Mary E. Pasco.
16	Ellen.	Jerry and Mary Sullivan.
17	Joseph E. H.	Pierre and Marie L. Bergeron.
18	Mary Ann.	Thomas and Johanna Sullivan.
19	Juliette E.	Philomen and Juliette Labelle.
19	Charles E.	Jules and Mary Cedilotte.
19	Martha Lydia.	Charles L. and Clara Johnson.
19	—	Patrick and Katherine Brean.
20	Henry.	Joseph and Krysta Bobijon.
23	Joseph A.	Magloin and Eugena Cantin.
24	Eddy.	Albert and Susie Rusak.
27	Florence Mabel.	Thomas W. and Maggie Cole.
27	Robert Emmet.	Thomas and Hannah Quirk.
29	Leon Joseph.	William and Amanda Oullette.
Dec. 1	Winnie May.	Mathew and Mary Murtagh.
5	Zofia.	Staneslais and Kate Borak.
5	Lawrence W.	Walter G. and Sarah Russell.
7	Merystaw.	Joseph and Antonia Jibtouski.
10	Anna.	John and Karoline Dulinski.
10	Joseph.	John and Aggie Bigdaw.
11	Marie.	Stanislais and Rose Bastack.
12	Stanis.	John and Canlina Brandek.
13	Appolonia.	Charles and Victoria Czigba.
17	Oznia.	Euclid and Eugenia Poitras.
23	Alcide O.	Harry and Flora Dupont.
24	Bridget.	Thomas and Antonia Medoleski.
28	Peter.	Joseph and Martine Krichock.

DATE.	NAME OF CHILD.	PARENTS' NAME.
Dec. 30	Dorothy.	Andrew L. and Annie Tolman.
30	Agnes.	Zatic and Victora Gondlk.

MARRIAGES.

DATE.	GROOM.	RESIDENCE.	BRIDE.	RESIDENCE.
Jan. 2	Jno. A. Lcigt,	Worcester,	Matilda Rosga,	Three Rivers
14	Arthur Holleur,	Three Rivers,	Ogustine Vendete,	Three Rivers
16	Timothy J. Crimmins,	Palmer,	Mary C. Whelan,	Westhampton
16	Joseph Tenzar,	Thorndike,	Helina Zalinski,	Thorndike
18	Chapin Tomwiski,	Three Rivers,	Mary Glevo,	Three Rivers
18	Stephen Bostick,	Three Rivers,	Rosa Ponrick,	Three Rivers
18	Jno. K. Barker,	Three Rivers,	Annie B. Crane,	Hanover
19	Francis Solomon,	Thorndike,	Emila Ziemba,	Thorndike
19	John Copenca,	Three Rivers,	Annie Bovek,	Three Rivers
21	Milo J. Eaton,	Stafford, Ct.,	Eveline L. Reynolds,	Westford, Ct.
23	Chas. H. Atkins,	Palmer,	Albina M. Grigware,	Thorndike
23	Wm. Roberts,	Three Rivers,	Emma L. Moore,	Three Rivers
24	Joseph Siok,	Three Rivers,	Annie Kouopka,	Three Rivers
26	John Safron,	Three Rivers,	Zusanna Chiscuska,	Three Rivers
26	Stanislais Szrepanak,	Bondsville,	Elrbicta Wrobel,	Bondsville
26	Henry Medora,	Bondsville,	Polania Supak,	Bondsville
26	John Dzgra,	Bondsville,	Victoria Kuss,	Bondsville
26	Stanislais Yoletonska,	Bondsville,	Catima Topir,	Bondsville
30	Thos. H. Dwyer,	Palmer,	Maggie Martin,	Palmer
Feb. 2	Marin Dzedzy,	Three Rivers,	Wiktory Rzeszot,	Three Rivers
9	Stanislais Dybota,	Three Rivers,	Maryanne Roesketa,	Three Rivers
9	Stanislais Borak,	Ludlow,	Kate Lamoea,	Three Rivers
9	Albert Kaczmarczyk,	Ludlow,	Katrina Banasz,	Three Rivers
11	Haristide Dupont,	Three Rivers,	Flora Roberts,	Three Rivers
14	Samuel F. Brown,	Thorndike,	Rose A. Laplante,	Thorndike
18	Philomin Labelle,	Three Rivers,	Julia Bell,	Three Rivers
Mch. 16	Ralph E. Willard,	Palmer,	Florence E. Gates,	Palmer
April 8	C. E. Abbott,	Palmer,	Bridget Ronan,	Pittsfield
8	Francisse Chayer,	Three Rivers,	Abxsina Braudoin,	Three Rivers
9	George Barber,	Three Rivers,	Clarinda Morin,	Three Rivers
17	Everett E. Olin,	Chester,	Julia B. Palmer,	Chester
21	Alfred Nordleff,	Palmer,	Matilda Gardman,	Palmer
22	Stanislais Polenaski,	Three Rivers,	Maryann Tenraz,	Ludlow
23	Timothy J. Sullivan,	Thorndike,	Josephine C. Dunn,	Thorndike
23	Benton E. Root,	Three Rivers,	Mary L. Pilky,	Three Rivers
30	Edward R. Smith,	Palmer,	Alice J. Smith,	Palmer
May 7	Edwin J. Duncan,	Palmer,	Della A. Wilson,	Palmer
9	Joe W. Bean,	Haverhill,	Clara L. Green,	Three Rivers
11	John Mastoly,	Three Rivers,	Agnes Zohoba,	Three Rivers
11	Sebestyor Roluorski,	Bondsville,	Mary Zygnentourz,	Bondsville
18	Leon Porturik,	Three Rivers,	Kate Wonck,	Three Rivers
19	Joseph Beaudreau,	Three Rivers,	Libby Dudley,	Three Rivers
21	Clement Russette,	Three Rivers,	Precilla Manie,	Three Rivers
22	John Kazit,	Thorndike,	Franciska Bodorock,	Thorndike
26	Frederick C. Sherman,	Palmer,	Ethel A. Sherman,	Nova Scotia

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June 4	Henry P. Callaghan,	Monson,	Mary V. Stokes,	Thorndike
5	Frank Connel,	Monson,	Ellen Murphy,	Thorndike
8	Stanislais Dymnick,	Bondsville,	Mary Bank,	Bondsville
15	John Miga,	Bondsville,	Appolonia Wizka,	Bondsville
17	Joseph Renaud,	West Warren,	Amelia Labelle,	Three Rivers
18	Henry W. Holbrook,	Palmer,	Katherine L. Buck,	Palmer
23	Maciej Kozec,	Three Rivers,	Wiktorzja Lozygiet,	Three Rivers
24	Chas. Guillette, Jr.,	Three Rivers,	Rosanna Brouthers,	Three Rivers
July 1	Homer Beauchamp,	Three Rivers,	Minnie Hamilton,	Three Rivers
3	John Gondick,	Three Rivers,	Cerlina Lupa,	Ludlow
4	Fakol Kiczak,	Three Rivers,	Antonia Biclak,	Ludlow
6	Joseph Kulik,	Three Rivers,	Jolianna Lysik,	Three Rivers
6	Stanislais Mecholic,	Bondsville,	Mary Dona,	Bondsville
8	Joseph Bell,	Three Rivers,	Elisabeth Lebeau,	Three Rivers
20	Joseph Patrias,	Bondsville,	Antonia Kropa,	Bondsville
Aug. 2	Edward J. Murphy,	Palmer,	Grace E. Smith,	Thorndike
3	Frank Clang,	Thorndike,	Mildred Reil,	Thorndike
10	Peter Kuss,	Bondsville,	Agnes Bobak,	Bondsville
17	Adam Sferet,	Bondsville,	Ema Pilck,	Three Rivers
24	Ezdr. Zimbak,	Thorndike,	Katie Vidak,	Thorndike
24	Joseph Jorsek,	Three Rivers,	Nellie Szaygiet,	Chicopee Falls
28	Herbert E. Sholes,	Bondsville,	Bessie Canterbury,	Belchertown
26	Ober A. Coto,	Three Rivers,	Blanche McLean,	Three Rivers
Sept. 2	Alfred Labonti,	Brimfield,	Louisa A. Bellore,	Union, Ct.
2	Roscoe F. Smithles,	Chester,	Mattie D. Fowles,	Palmer
9	Joseph Manville,	Three Rivers,	Marie Feuchy,	Three Rivers
16	Felix Leclaire,	Three Rivers,	Aureva Gondreau,	Three Rivers
23	H. C. Reed,	Three Rivers,	Lena Morey,	Thorndike
28	Albert Kubek,	Bondsville,	Annie Salega,	Bondsville
Oct. 2	Leo Shy,	Thorndike,	Lynda Macijnka,	Thorndike
2	Cornelius J. Sullivan,	N. Y. City,	B. M. Dowd,	Palmer
3	Maurice McCormick,	Thorndike,	Margaret Kelly,	Holyoke
5	Stanislais Kuss,	Bondsville,	Annie Seczkewski,	Bondsville
7	Henry Stearns,	Palmer,	Lena Brouthers,	Palmer
8	Louis Brouillette,	Palmer,	Rounda Clang,	Thorndike
8	Lucas Lis,	Bondsville,	Antonia Brotkin,	Three Rivers
15	Adelard Murray,	Bondsville,	Maria A. A. Lukin,	Bondsville
26	Joseph Maga,	Bondsville,	Anne Wysga,	Bondsville
30	Napoleon Dennis,	Palmer,	Clara T. Darling,	Monson
Nov. 6	Exis Dupree,	Thorndike,	Denese Suzar,	Thorndike
6	John T. Bradley,	Palmer,	Margaret V. Cavin,	Palmer
9	Peter Kubat,	Bondsville,	Annie Piechota,	Bondsville
9	Michael Cupryna,	Three Rivers,	Katie Trella,	Ludlow
9	Joseph Stanivich,	Three Rivers,	Maryann Zovelinski	Ludlow
9	Adolph Clang,	Thorndike,	Malvina Reil,	Thorndike
12	Timothy Hanafin,	Monson,	Catherine Lynch,	Bondsville
16	Joseph Sypck,	Bondsville,	Anna Szteliga,	Bondsville
23	John Krgrits,	Bondsville,	Anna Bobak,	Bondsville
23	John Tabuska,	Thorndike,	Victoria Dani,	Thorndike
27	Raymond F. Keith,	Thorndike,	Ida A. Beaudreau,	Thorndike
Dec. 5	Alvin N. Stebbins,	Thorndike,	Alice L. Engle,	Chicopee Falls
14	Andrew Johnson,	Palmer,	Johanna Nielson,	Palmer
24	J. Homer Miller,	Palmer,	Edith S. Chesly,	No. Brookfield
25	Wm Olson,	Palmer,	Ellen T. McMahon,	Palmer
26	Gilbert Richard,	Ludlow,	Phillista Wizard,	Four Corners

DEATHS, 1901.

DATE.	NAME.	CAUSE OF DEATH.	YRS.	MS.	DS.
Jan. 4	Margaret Donahue,	Puerporal Uraemia,	21		
5	Stanislais Barbien,	Acute Bronchitis,		2	
6	Armanda Lamy,	Diphtheria,	4	3	
17	Abby A. Lynes,	Exhaustion from Chron- ic Epilectic Dementia,	52		
18	James Macauley,	Exhaustion from Chron- ic Epilectic Dementia,	44		
19	Davis B. Bishop,	Uraemia,	2	10	
19	Mary Ann Shea,	Pneumonia,	33		
19	Eva Masse,	Tuberculosis Meningitis,	3	3	
19	Lawrence Cotter,	Fracture of Skull,	30		
21	Lena White,	Membraneous Croup,	3	4	
22	William P. Watts,	Typhoid Fever,	23		
23	Lewis B. Fish,	Cancer of Prostate,	80	3	
23	Oscar C. Marcy,	Fatty Degeneration of Heart,	58	4	
Feb. 2	Ebenezer Brown,	Carcinowes,	78	4	
3	Margaret McCormick,	Pneumonia,	86		
4	William Burford,	Heart Disease,			4
6	Mary Reilly,	Phthisic Pulmonallis,	43		
6	Catherine A. Moynahan,	Heart Failure, probable,	20	2	2
12	Herbert H. Barton,	Pneumonia,		3	
14	John Plciatur,	Pulmonary Congestion,		6	
16	Alice I. Freeman,	Chronic Bright's Disease,	45		
16	John C. Rich,	Acute Nephritis,	75		
18	Stanislais Vaskrevig,	Pneumonia,			13
26	Alice J. Thompson,	Acute Indigestion,			9
Mch. 5	Apalonija Miga,	Pulmonary Tuberculo- sis,	22		
5	Eliza A. Parsons,	Cancer of Liver,	60	11	21
6	Mary Murphy,	Paralysis,	68		
8	Helena Migar,	Meningitis,	1	6	
9	George F. Harding,	Inanition,		1	
11	Joseph Motyka,	Anaemia,			1
13	Lucy M. Knowlton,	Grippe,	85		

DATE.	NAME.	CAUSE OF DEATH.	YRS.	MS.	DS.
Mch. 18	Sidney S. Kelsey,	Carcima of Stomach,	74		
18	Josephine B. Douglass,	Gastric Catarrh,	78	7	4
21	Markus S. Johnson,	Marasmus.		3	27
22	Mary Brown,	General Debility and Heart Failure,	70		
27	Newell S. Taylor,	Epithelioma,	72	5	4
28	Wm. C. Feinzinger,	Tuberculosis (of hip)		1	5
Apr. 4	Annie B. Acker,	Tuberculosis,	41	7	18
4	Ella Merriam,	Metritis Phlobitis,	30	3	
7	Henry Corawobes,	Pneumonia,		5	
8	Carl Remington,	Capillary Bronchitis,	1	6	
11	Emma L. Lent,	Pneumonia,	56	4	11
13	Malachi C. Mannion,	Tuberculosis,	59	2	
13	Emelus Harvey,	Muscular Atrophy,	76	4	23
18	Michael Dockery,	Asthemia Seniler,	66		
May 3	Annie Hammel,	Asthemia Seniler,	73		
10	Louis Caccialino,	Drowned,	23		
12	Jennie M. Truesdell,	Valvular Disease of Heart,	47	11	13
13	Nellie Connor,	Congestion of Liver,	30		
14	Peter Woods,	LaGrippe,	75		
15	Peter Leboda,	Meningitis,		6	
21	Joseph Lariviere,	Croup,		1	8
June 20	Michael Finerty,	Heart Disease,	68		
21	Amanda M. Hancock,	Chronic Nephritis,	67	7	29
27	Unknown Man,	Killed by the cars.			
28	Wilfred Henrichon,	Drowned,	12		
29	Henry Walker,	Asthmenia Seniler,	82		
30	Stanislais Dudik,	Drowned,	37		
July 2	Irving A. Elsbree,	Heat Prostration,	67		
3	Paul Fortune,	Found dead,	53		
14	Mary Harnais,	Cholera Infantum,		7	
17	Jesse C. Fitts,	Drowned,	29	9	
17	Ralph W. Alden,	Drowned,	10	10	21
17	Raymond W. Alden,	Drowned,	10	10	21
19	William A. Ballam,	R. R. accident,	37		
22	Auron Larose,	Cholera Infantum,		6	20

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July 24	Joseph Phaneuf,	Cholera Infantum,		11	2
25	Elise Benoit,	Cancer of Uterus,	61		
26	Eugene Shorley,	Apoplexy,	74	7	16
31	Elizabeth Malloy,	Asthenia Senile,	73		
Aug. 5	Daniel Lynch,	Gastric Ulcer, with per- forations,	69		
6	Lottie L. Marcy,	Peritonitis,	32		
9	Kate Bednaryck,	Teething,	1	8	26
11	John B. Carmody,	Angina Pectoris,	68		
11	Alice Cantin,	Pneumonia,	1		
12	Adam Kotodsisjiryk,	Premature Birth,		1	11
12	John Krol,	Uraemia,	30		
13	John F. Carmody,	Consumption,	19	11	
13	Joseph Sowcki,	Cholera Infantum,		11	
15	James F. Early,	Heart Disease,	43		
16	Joseph Wakurki,	Acute Trouble,	1	11	
30	Michael Danihy,	Paralysis and Pulmon- ary Congestion,	75		
Sept. 2	Ellen Hannafin,	Consumption,	35		
12	Frank Nerberg,	Marasmus,	7	9	
13	Edward J. Miller,	Marasmus,		3	13
19	Genopfa Tybursky,	Cholera Infantum,		8	15
20	Angelina D. Barton,	Apoplexy,	64	4	8
22	Katherine Foley,	Peritonitis,	23	11	
24	Elroy Fudick,	Spinal Meningitis,		6	
27	Oscar J. Stockwell,	Cerebral Hemorrhages and Exhaustion,	59	6	
30	Yolonde Hughes,	Malaria,		4	
Oct. 3	Johanna O'Connor,	Dilation Heart,	83		
4	Joseph L. Parquette,	Weakness,		1	7
6	John Lehan,	General breaking down,	77	4	
6	Thomas Kennedy,	Phthisic Pulmonale,	20		
12	C. Perly Pratt,	Dysentery,	6	8	
14	Julia Magewusker,	Marasmus,	1	1	
14	Joseph Topor,	Cholera Infantum,		1	10
15	Clara Oumette,	Meningitis,		6	
17	Agatha Damart,	Pneumonia,		8	

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Oct. 21	Bridget Stokes,	Pulmonary Tuberculo- sis,	24		
23	William Beauregard,	Carcercus Calhixia,	66		
26	George W. Adams,	Cancer,	44	11	
30	Rebecca S. Burpee,	Senility,	74		
Nov. 1	Susan A. Green,	Pneumonia,	84	4	3
1	Mary Hannifin,	Arstic Insufficiency,	70		
6	Mary A. Hannum,	Cardiac Dilitation.			
12	Antone Kolburg,	Inanition,		1	
14	Wm. S. Thornhill,	Chronic Gastritis,	76	1	13
15	Ernest K. Nelson,	Epilepsy,	26	6	20
16	Leocadi Smith,	Acute Intestinal Trouble,	73	4	
18	Catherine Lynch,	Apoplexy,	52		
22	Patrick J. Kinnevan,	Valvular Heart Disease,	68		
26	Anna Smith,	Meningitis,		1	14
30	Zepher Yasack,	Pneumonia,		4	
30	Daniel Lynch,	Heart Failure,	30		
Dec. 2	Mamie Callahan,	Seprir Exhaustion,	18	10	
3	Stany Berual,	Feeble from birth,			26
4	Katie Skrymas,	Cholera Infantum,		1	
7	Nora Zaltck,	Meningitis,	2		
9	Viola Mae Alarie,	Scarlet Fever,	2	3	
10	Caroline Jennings,	Paralysis,	60		
12	Francis Polensky,	Cholera Infantum,		4	
15	Lillian May Kimber,	Meningitis,	1	5	15
19	Dennis O'Leary,	Consumption of the Intestines,	51		
21	Luronza Siczkonyka,	Enteritis,		2	
22	Cora Colbust,	Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	26		
23	Antony Toper,	Convulsions,		1	14
27	James Moriarty,	Bronchial Asthma,	64		
28	Michael Griffin,	Cancer,	69		

Report of Selectmen.

CONTINGENCIES.

Appropriation—	\$3,000.00
Peter Roberts, opening 50 graves from Jan. 6, 1900,	\$100.00
C. B. Fiske & Co., adv., town warrant and town report,	227.94
E. W. Phinney, inspecting meats,	43.05
Beni Furkey, care of Town House,	4.50
J. W. Brainerd, labor on voting booths,	2.50
S. Leach, putting up and taking down voting booths,	1.50
C. H. Giroux, M. D., returning 57 births,	12.75
T. J. Conroy, posting town warrants, March,	5.00
J. Stever Knox, services with hearse, March,	30.00
E. W. Carpenter, services as auditor,	10.00
Frank J. Phaneuff, services as registrar, 1900,	15.00
J. J. Kelley, services as precinct officer,	3.00
Daniel J. Sullivan, services as precinct officer,	3.00
William B. Kerigan, " " "	3.00
Michael O'Reilly, " " "	3.00
Chas. F. Mooers, " " "	3.00
Wm. E. Andrews, " " "	3.00
Harry Keith, " " "	3.00
Frank Shuttleworth, " " "	3.00
George L. Holden, services as precinct officer,	3.00
H. W. Holbrook, " " "	3.00
David F. Dillon, " " "	3.00
John P. O'Connor, " " "	3.00
J. Stever Knox, " " "	3.00
Fred O. Royce, " " "	3.00

George Ezekiel,	services as precinct officer,	\$ 3.00
D. E. O'Connor,	" " "	3.00
Wm. E. Herran,	" " "	3.00
J. H. Trickett,	" " "	3.00
H. A. Barker,	" " "	3.00
Wm. Prairie,	" " "	3.00
Henry Connors,	" " "	3.00
A. Louis Warriner,	" " "	3.00
D. E. Tenney,	" " "	3.00
Edward P. Brown,	" " "	3.00
E. E. Ryther,	" " "	3.00
Chas. D. Holden,	" " "	3.00
Chas. E. Shumway,	" " "	3.00
Chas. Darling,	" " "	3.00
P. J. Fitzgerald,	" " "	3.00
M. J. Griffin,	" " "	3.00
Richard F. Donovan,	" " "	3.00
Chas. Connors,	" " "	3.00
A. O. Allen,	care of lockup,	8.00
H. G. Loomis,	opening three graves,	6.00
J. Stever Knox,	services with hearse, Apl.,	21.00
A. O. Allen,	care of lockup,	8.00
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.,	use of telephone to June 30, for G. A. Bills,	6.25
C. B. Fiske & Co,	ads, application for license, notices, etc.,	16.07
D. E. Marcy,	team for selectmen,	3.00
Palmer Water Co.,	supplying water tank, Main street, to April 1,	8.50
E. W. Phinney,	fighting forest fire Catholic Cemetery,	1.00
C. E. Phinney,	fighting forest fire Catholic Cemetery,	1.00
W. H. Moore,	fighting forest fire Catholic Cemetery,	1.00
Chas. Johnson,	fighting forest fire Catholic Cemetery,	2.00
Lewis Parker,	fighting forest fire Catholic Cemetery,	2.00

Edward Duncan, fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	\$ 2.00
Timothy Crimmins, fighting forest fire Catholic Cemetery,	2 00
Richard Turner, fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	2.00
Charles E. Fuller, fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	2.00
E. B. Taylor, self and team, fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	3.00
F. D. Thompson, fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	2.00
Moses Winter, fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	2.00
Jerry Crowley, fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	2.00
Thorndike Co. (7 men, 2 hours each), fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	2.80
George A. Bills, fighting forest fire, Catholic Cemetery,	2.00
George A. Bills, cash paid Henry Lovett,	2.00
“ “ “ “ “ carfare,	.35
St. Mary's Temperance Society, rent of hall for voting place,	8.00
Charles S. Ruggles, opening 4 graves,	8.00
Charles S. Ruggles, placing voting booths, November and March,	7.00
Charles S. Ruggles, rent of hall for voting,	8.00
T. D. Potter & Co., labor and material.	4.04
J. Stever Knox, services with hearse, May.	21.00
Frank Phaneuff, services as registrar, 1899,	7.50
S. Leach, labor, etc., at engine house,	1.00
A. O. Allen, care of lockup, May and June,	16.00
J. Stever Knox, services with hearse, June,	15.00
Thorndike Co., supplying water trough to May 1st, 1901,	5.00
Horace H. Paine, burial agent, to exp. burying Henry Walker, soldier,	30.00
Charles H. Ruggles, repairs Town House,	6.38

J. Stever Knox, services with hearse, July,	\$36.00
John F. Twiss, cash paid Colby Mfg. Co. for book,	6.50
Horace H. Paine, burial agent, exp. burying I. A. Ellsbree, soldier, '1	28.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., rent of telephone for G. A. Bills.	6.25
C. B. Fiske & Co., 400 Assessors' notices.	28.00
Thomas Roche, opening 18 graves to Aug. 1st.	36.00
Charles L. Holden, rent of room for voting place,	7.00
A. O. Allen, care of lockup, July,	8.00
H. M. Bliss, opening 9 graves,	18.00
John O. Hamilton, Tax Collector's book and supplies,	4.00
A. O. Allen, care of lockup, Aug.	8.00
J. Stever Knox, 2 trips with hearse,	6.00
H. H. Paine, Burial agt., burial Daniel Lynch, soldier.	25.00
L. H. Hendee, M. D. returning 15 births to Aug. 15,	3.75
Thos. W. Holt, Police duty at Paulin House to Sept. 1st, (Small Pox)	84.00
John O'Connor, Police duty at Paulin House to Sept. 1st, (Small Pox)	82.00
E. W. Phinney, inspecting meats, etc.,	54.80
C. B. Fiske & Co., Blanks, Posters, etc.,	7.00
Beni Furkey, care of Town House Sept. 25 & 26,	2.00
Robert Johnston, support of water tub,	5.00
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., rent of Tel. G. A. Bills to Dec. 31st,	6.25
D. E. Marcy, services with hearse Aug. & Sept.,	45.00
Chas. T. Brainerd, moving safe,	10.00
A. O. Allen, care of lockup, Sept.,	8.00
H. M. Bliss, opening 2 graves,	4.00
P. C. Daley, police service July 3 and 4.	3.00
James J. Manning, police service July 3 and 4,	3.00
Michael Collins, police service July 3 and 4,	3.00

Thos. W. Holt, police duty at Paulin's on account small pox,	\$28.00
John O'Connor, police duty at Paulin's on account small pox,	30.00
James J. Manning, police duty at Paulin's on account small pox,	2.00
Thos. J. Conroy, police duty agricultural fair,	12.00
A. O. Allen, care of lockup and lamp Oct.,	8.35
Beni Furkey, care of Town House, Oct. 21st,	1.50
D. E. Marey, services with hearse, Oct.,	33.00
W. A. Barnes, services selling Blanchardville schoolhouse,	5.00
H. M. Bliss, opening 3 graves,	6.00
C. B. Fiske & Co., town warrants and adv.,	16.78
Jas. J. Manning, posting 3 town warrants,	10.00
D. E. Marcy, services with hearse, Nov.,	27.00
J. J. Kelley, services as precinct officer,	3.00
Dennis F. Sullivan, " " "	3.00
Wm. B. Kerigan, " " "	3.00
Chas. F. Mooers, " " "	3.00
Wm. Andrews, " " "	3.00
Harry B. Keith, " " "	3.00
Frank Shuttleworth, " " "	3.00
H. W. Holbrook, " " "	3.00
David F. Dillon, " " "	3.00
J. Stever Knox, " " "	3.00
John P. O'Connor, " " "	3.00
Fred O. Royce, " " "	3.00
Geo. Ezekiel, " " "	3.00
Michael E. Monahan, " " "	3.00
Geo. L. Holden, " " "	3.00
Wm. E. Herran, " " "	3.00
Ed. P. Brown, " " "	3.00
A. Louis Warriner, " " "	3.00
Jas. J. Manning, " " "	3.00
Wm. Prairie, " " "	3.00
David E. Tenney, " " "	3.00
James H. Trickett, services as precinct officer,	3.00
Chas. S. Ruggles, " " "	3.00

John F. Twiss, team to carry ballot box, Mch. and November,	\$ 2.00
Thos. Roche, opening 29 graves,	58.00
A. O. Allen, care of lockup, etc., Oct.,	8.50
H. M. Bliss, opening three graves,	6.00
Horace H. Paine, Agt., Exp. burial of M. Donahoe (soldier),	24.00
Homer A. Shaw, stove and fixtures for pest house,	15.95
E. E. Ryther, precinct officer, Nov.,	3.00
C. E. Shumway, " " "	3.00
R. F. Donovan, " " "	3.00
Chas. D. Holden, " " "	3.00
P. F. Fitzgerald, " " "	3.00
M. J. Griffin, " " "	3.00
Chas. W. Darling, " " "	3.00
John Donahue, " " "	3.00
Chas. L. Holden, rent of room for voting place,	7.00
Fred Martin, patrol duty, small pox,	33.00
Timothy Lynes, patrol duty, small pox,	6.00
Wallace Knowlton, patrol duty, small pox,	37.00
St. Mary's Total Abstinence Society, rent of hall for voting place,	8.00
James B. Shaw, services as Town Clerk (on account),	100.00
Homer A. Shaw, range and fixtures for pest house,	14.05
T. D. Potter & Co., glass for pest house,	2.58
C. L. Holden & Sons, furniture, crockery, etc., for pest house,	59.69
Edward F. McKelligett, caring for insane per- sons,	6.00
Charles S. Ruggles, opening 2 graves,	4.00
Charles S. Ruggles, placing polling booths,	3.50
Charles S. Ruggles, rent of hall for voting place,	8.00
W. F. Fillmore, wood for Town Hall,	2.75
Thomas Roche, opening 14 graves,	28.00
D. E. Marcy, services with hearse, 16 trips,	48.00

D. B. Sullivan, M. D., returning 3 births,	\$.75
John W. Loftus, returning 22 deaths,	5.50
H. A. Smith, M. D., returning 36 births,	9.00
A. O. Allen, care of lockup, December,	8.00
Michael Collins, police duty, small pox,	3.50
Michael O'Reilly, precinct officer, November,	3.00
American Fire Engine Co., repairs for fire engine,	4.60
Jos. M. Allen, 3 teams to Thorndike fire,	15.00
D. E. Marcy, 2 teams to Thorndike fire,	4.00
E. B. Taylor, 1 team to Thorndike fire,	2.00
G. A. Bills, services and car fare paid,	2.30
J. Summers, services at Thorndike fire,	2.00
T. Crimmins, " " "	2.00
Moses Winter, " " "	2.00
E. B. Taylor, " " "	2.00
John Lyman, " " "	2.00
Oliver LaSalle, " " "	2.00
A. J. Comfort, " " "	2.00
E. J. Duncan, " " "	2.00
Geo. Hall, services Thorndike fire,	2.00
Fred Thompson, services Thorndike fire,	2.00
J. P. Schneider, M. D., returning 27 births,	6.75
Chas. F. Smith, inspecting cattle and meat,	50.00
C. F. Fiske & Co., printing tally sheets, notices, etc.,	4.50
New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., rent for Tel. G.	
A. Bills to March 31,	6.25
R. H. Smith Mfg. Co., town seal,	3.50
Rev. Jos. Marchand, opening 15 graves to Jan. 1st,	30.00
A. O. Allen, care of lockup Jan.,	8.00
C. H. Giroux, returning 79 births to Jan. 1,	19.75
D. E. Marcy, services with hearse Jan.,	24.00
Chas. L. Johnson, services Thorndike fire,	2.00
W. H. Hitchcock, labor and material, library,	1.80
Carroll & McClintock, House verdict and costs,	215.06
Dillon & Hobson, services and exp. House case,	42.95
Thos. W. Kenefick, trial House case,	40.00
Thos. W. Kenefick, personal expenses.	4.00

Thos. W. Kenefick, fees for witnesses,	\$20.70	
Thos. W. Kenefick, fees of G. A. Bills for sub- pœnas,	2.00	
John F. Foley, supplies for lockup,	8.03	
Henry M. Bliss, opening 3 graves,	6.00	
A. O. Allen, care of lockup, February,	8.00	
Charles S. Ruggles, opening 1 grave,	2.00	
H. G. Loomis, returning 37 deaths,	9.25	
Thomas Roche, opening 10 graves,	20.00	
G. H. Wilkins, returning 19 births,	4.75	
J. C. Boulay, M. D., returning 2 births,	.50	
D. M. Ryan, M. D., returning 1 birth,	.25	
Palmer Savings Bank, rent of lockup,	90.00	
James B. Shaw, recording 283 births,	\$141.50	
James B. Shaw, recording 141 deaths,	35.25	
James B. Shaw, recording 100 marriages,	15.00	
James B. Shaw, cash paid for exp. and postage,	5.00	
James B. Shaw, services as reg- istrar of voters,	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$211.75
Less order Dec. 12, 1900,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$111.75
S. Matthieu, cleaning pest house and setting glass,	6.00	
Oliver La Salle, returning 10 deaths,	2.50	
Palmer Savings Bank, rent of safe for bonds,	4.00	
John F. Twiss, postage, express and telephone,	5.00	
J. F. Holbrook, treas., postage,	2.50	
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HIGHWAYS.

Appropriation—	\$5,000.00
M. H. Loftus, labor, man and team,	\$12.00
Edward McKelligett, labor,	6.00

John Dunn,	labor,	\$ 1.50
James Crean,	"	1.50
Michael Murphy,	"	1.50
Warren Trumble,	"	2.00
Chas. T. Brainerd,	labor, man and team,	20.00
Patrick Murphy,	labor,	11.25
Daniel Crimmins,	105 hours' labor,	15.75
H. W. Stinson,	labor, self and team,	40.75
Geo. Lann,	labor,	15.75
Geo. W. Keith,	70 loads gravel,	7.00
Edward McKelligett,	labor,	22.50
Michael Flynn,	"	11.40
Daniel Sullivan,	"	9.90
Daniel Shea,	"	8.40
Michael Murphy,	"	3.00
John Crowley,	"	8.40
Ham & Miller,	labor, man and team,	10.40
Joseph Bondsville,	" " "	22.40
M. H. Loftus,	" " "	42.40
Dennis Mahoney,	labor, man and team,	20.00
Dennis Mahoney Jr.,	labor,	7.50
Jos. Costo,	labor,	7.50
Jerry Shea,	labor,	3.00
Michael Shea,	labor,	1.50
John Moriarty,	labor,	.50
Jos. M. Allen,	services as superintendent to May 1,	42.00
Jos. M. Allen,	labor, men and teams,	71.25
Joseph Merriam,	labor,	2.85
Dennis Dewire,	"	3.75
Fred Wright,	"	5.10
E. Colgrove,	"	4.88
Howard Bangs,	"	6.38
Pat Murphy,	"	1.50
W. Colgrove,	"	1.50
J. Chalk,	"	3.20
Thos. D. Carmody,	"	13.50
M. McKelligett,	"	6.75
John F. Twiss,	men and teams,	54.00
John Ritchie,	labor,	14.25

John O'Connor, labor,	\$ 14.25
Ernest Barber, labor,	1.50
Jos. St. John, "	6.75
Daniel Connor, "	14.25
Jos. Gervais, "	1.50
J. B. Carmody, labor man and team,	10.40
Thos Carmody, labor,	32.55
M. McKelligett, "	32.55
D. Fenton, "	1.50
D. Keyes, "	8.55
John Fenton, "	10.80
John Carmody, man and team,	26.80
Michael Slattery, " " "	18.80
A. Ramsden, " " "	24.80
Joe Bagnaski, labor,	7.05
John Sullivan, "	8.55
Bat Moynihan, "	.75
John Koss, "	1.50
Jos. Lacca, "	8.55
Geo. Mumford, "	9.00
Jos. Sweet, "	6.00
D. Crimmins, "	18.00
C. Carter, "	1.80
Sam Ferry, labor,	1.50
Jos. M. Allen, service as superintendent,	66.00
Jos. M. Allen, 39 days, 8 1-2 hours, men and teams,	159 40
Jos. M. Allen, 1 man 19 days,	28.50
Dennis Mahoney, man and team,	36.00
Dennis Mahoney Jr., labor,	15.00
John Hagerty, labor,	24.00
Joseph Costa, labor,	10.50
Charles Rogers, labor,	6.00
Charles Heidel, 50 heads of gravel,	4.00
M. H. Loftus, man and team,	24.00
Edward McKelligott, labor,	16.50
Michael Flynn, labor,	3.00
Michael Molloy, labor,	1.50
Chas. S. Ruggles, 76 loads gravel,	7.60

Jos. St. John, labor,	\$19.35
Daniel Connor, labor,	20.85
John Ritchie, labor,	17.85
John Daley, man and team,	4.00
L. G. Barker, man and team,	20.80
John F. Twiss, man and team,	26.80
James Sumner, repairs on road scraper,	4.00
J. W. Brainerd, labor on steam roller,	3.00
Dennis Mahoney, man and team,	56.00
Dennis Mahoney Jr., labor,	22.50
John Hagerty, labor,	22.50
Chas. Rogers, labor,	22.50
Chas. T. Brainerd, on state highway, 1900,	48.97
J. B. Carmody, 18½ days, man and team,	74.00
John Grady, 3 days' labor,	4.50
Dan Dewire, 20 loads gravel,	2.00
Albert Witkin, 40 loads gravel,	4.00
Michael Sullivan, 1 days' labor,	1.50
M. McKelligott, 18 days' labor,	27.00
A. Ramsden, 3½ days, man and team,	14.00
John Fenton, 1 day's labor,	1.50
David Fitzgerald, 5 days' labor,	7.50
Dennis Fenton, 16 days' labor,	24.00
Thomas Carmody, 17 days' labor,	25.50
Central Vt. R. R. Co., freight on 2 cars stone,	10.45
John Ritchie, 11 days' labor,	16.50
Daniel Connor, 12 days' labor,	18.00
Joseph St. John, 12 days' labor,	18.00
Alex. Herran, 9½ days' labor,	14.25
John F. Twiss, man and team, 12 days,	48.00
Wm. N. Flynt Granite Co., 2 cars stone, bill	
June 12,	20.90
Geo. A. Smith, man and team, 10½ days,	42.00
John Jones, 10½ days' labor,	15.75
Geo. Lamb, 10½ days' labor,	15.75
Albert King, labor at Thorndike,	22.00
Wm. Colgrove, 6 days' labor,	10.50
Michael Molley, 1½ days' labor,	2.25
M. H. Loftus, 15½ days, man and team,	62.00

Thos. McCarty, 9 days' labor,	\$ 13.50
Dan Shea, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor,	8.25
Michael Flynn, 5 days' labor,	7.50
Edward McKelligott, 4 days' labor, May,	6.00
Edward McKelligott, $22\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor, June,	33.75
C. Carter, 1 days' labor,	1.50
D. Crimmins, 8 days' labor,	12.00
Fred Dockery, $1\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor,	2.25
M. Plase, 6 days' labor,	9.00
H. Ryder, 8 hours' labor,	1.20
Jos. M. Allen, services as Supt., June,	44.00
Jos. M. Allen. teams on highways,	124.00
Jos. M. Allen, 1 man, $15\frac{1}{2}$ days,	23.25
H. J. Moore, self, team and man, $4\frac{1}{2}$ days,	24.75
Jos. St. John, $11\frac{3}{4}$ days' labor,	17.80
Alex Herran, $7\frac{3}{4}$ " "	11.63
Daniel Connor, $11\frac{3}{4}$ " "	17.80
John Ritchie, $6\frac{3}{4}$ " "	10.13
M. McKelligett, $1\frac{1}{2}$ " "	2.25
Thos. Carmody, 9 " "	13.50
John Carmody, $8\frac{1}{2}$ hours, man and team,	3.60
John Grady, 1 day's labor,	1.50
Jos. M. Allen, Supt. Roads,	14.00
Jos. M. Allen. teams on highways,	30.00
Jos. M. Allen, man on highways 4 days,	6.00
M. H. Loftus, man and team,	16.00
Daniel Shea, labor,	3.00
Edward McKelligett, labor,	20.25
John Hagerty, "	3.00
Chas. Rogers, "	3.00
Dennis Mahoney Jr., labor,	3.00
Dennis Mahoney, man and team,	6.00
Jos. F. Holbrook & Son, 600 lbs. blacksmith coal,	1.65
John F. Twiss, man and team, $12\frac{1}{2}$ days,	50.00
Michael Carmody, man and team, 14 days,	56.00
John Koss, labor, 1 day,	1.50
John Grady, labor, 12 days,	18.00
A. Ramsden, man and team, 6 days,	24.00

M. McKelligott, 15 days' labor,	\$22.50
David Fitzgerald, 11½ days' labor,	17.25
P. J. Mansfield, 7 days' labor,	10.50
John Baznaska, 4 days' labor,	6.00
Thos. Carmody, 21 days' labor,	31.50
J. F. Twiss, man and team, 5 days,	20.00
John Ritchie, 3 days' labor,	4.50
Daniel Connor, 6 " "	9.00
Alex Herran, 2½ " "	3.75
John Connor, 6 " "	9.00
Jos. St. John, 2½ " "	3.75
E. Slattery, 4 " "	6.00
D. Dwyer, 2 days' labor,	3.00
C. Carter, ½ " "	.75
H. Ryder, " "	.50
D. Crimmins, 2 days' labor,	3.00
Jos. M. Allen, Supt. Roads,	36.00
Jos. M. Allen, teams on highways,	48.00
Jos. M. Allen, 4 shovels,	1.70
Joseph M. Allen, 1 man, 20 days,	30.00
M. H. Loftus, man and team, 9 days,	36.00
Dennis Healey, 7¼ days' labor,	11.25
Thos. McCarty, 8 " "	12.00
Jos. Riley, 1 " "	1.50
Reuben Lamb, 2½ " "	3.75
Geo. Lamb, 2½ " "	3.75
H. W. Stimson, man and team,	10.75
John S. Jones, 4 days' labor,	6.00
H. J. Moore, man and team,	11.00
Dennis Mahoney, man and team,	20.00
Dennis Mahoney Jr., 5 days' labor,	7.50
John Hagerty, 5 " "	7.50
Michael Hagerty, 5 " "	7.50
F. D. Thompson, sharpening tools,	1.90
Edw. McKelligett, 2 days' labor,	3.00
David Fitzgerald, 4 days' labor,	6.00
Martin Koss, 2 days' labor,	3.00
A. Ramsden, man and team, 2 days,	8.00
Michael Carmody, labor, self and team,	70.00

John Grady, labor, self and team,	\$ 6.00
M. McKelligett, labor, self and team,	31.50
P. J. Mansfield, labor, self and team,	26.25
Thos. Carmody, labor, self and team,	34.50
John Fenton, labor, self and team,	1.50
George Roberts, labor, self and team,	8.50
Joseph M. Allen, superintendent of roads,	32.00
Joseph M. Allen, labor, 1 man,	5.25
Joseph M. Allen, teams,	39.20
Frank Shaw, teams,	3.75
—— Butler, teams,	2.25
Dennis Dwyer, teams,	2.25
Paul Bradeau, teams,	3.00
Peter Shabot, teams,	3.00
Peter Shabot Jr., teams,	6.00
C. Carter, teams,	.75
Alex. Girard, teams,	3.00
Tuffield Brothers, labor,	3.00
J. Harness, labor,	4.50
Dennis Mahoney, man and team,	8.00
Dennis Mahoney Jr., labor,	3.00
J. H. Moore, labor,	24.75
M. H. Loftus, man and team,	18.00
Jos. Bondville, labor,	6.00
M. Flynn, “	3.75
M. Molloy, “	6.75
Thos. McCarthy, “	6.75
Fred Bishop, “	1.50
J. F. Twiss, man and team,	22.00
John Connor, labor,	6.00
Alex Herran, “	6.75
John Ritchie, “	6.75
Jos. St. John, “	7.50
J. S. Lane & Son, 28 tons stone,	11.20
Boston and Albany R. R., freight on stone,	16.80
J. M. Summers, sharpening tools,	1.10
Jerry Downey, labor,	2.00
John Fenton, labor,	3.00
Michael Carmody, self and team,	68.00

John Grady, 6½ days' labor,	\$ 9.75
P. J. Mansfield, 5 days' labor,	7.50
M. McKelligett, 18 2-10 days' labor,	27.37
David Fitzgerald, 4 days' labor,	6.00
Thos. Carmody, labor,	33.37
Ed. Colgrove, 3 days' labor,	4.50
Geo. Moore, 1 day's labor,	1.50
Frank Shaw, 1 day's labor,	1.50
C. Carter, 1 day's labor,	1.50
W. Crosby, 18 hours' labor,	2.70
Jos. M. Allen, Supt. Roads,	50.00
Jos. M. Allen, teams,	133.50
Jos. M. Allen, extra men,	39.37
M. H. Loftus, man and team,	48.00
Jos. Bondville, man and team,	12.00
Daniel Sullivan, 12½ days' labor,	18.75
Fred Bishop, 13 days' labor,	19.50
John Murphy, 12 " "	18.00
Mike Molloy, 3 " "	4.50
Thos. McCarty, 3 " "	4.50
Patk. Fleming, 3 " "	4.50
Joe Bordo, ½ " "	.75
Martin Koss, 2 " "	3.00
H. W. Stimson, self and team,	16.25
Reuben Lamb, labor,	5.26
Bert Trumble, labor,	4.88
Denis Mahoney, man and team,	36.00
Denis Mahoney Jr., 9 days' labor,	13 50
James Thompson, 9 " "	13.50
John Hagerty, 2 " "	3.00
Wm. Foley, 7 " "	10.50
Geo. A. Smith, man and team,	8.00
Geo. Lamb, 2 days' labor,	3.00
James Summers, repairing scraper,	2.25
H. H. Calkins, 55 loads gravel,	5.50
Geo. E. Allen, scraper edge and bolts,	8.60
Edw. P. Brown, 7 8-10 days' labor,	11.70
Jos. Fenton, cutting brush, 5½ days,	8.25
Joseph Fenton, 4 days' labor,	6.00

John F. Twiss, man and team 12 days,	\$ 48.00
John Connor, 12 days' labor,	18.00
Jos. St. John, " " "	18.00
Alex Herran, " " "	18.00
John Ritchie, " " "	16.50
Dan Connor, 6 " "	9 00
Michael Carmody, team 2 days,	5.00
John Ritchie, labor $2\frac{3}{4}$ days,	4.12
Dan Connor, $1\frac{3}{4}$ days' labor,	2.62
John O'Connor, $2\frac{3}{4}$ days' labor,	4.12
Jos. St. John, $2\frac{3}{4}$ days' labor,	4 12
Alex Herran, $1\frac{3}{4}$ days' labor,	2.62
Daniel Lane, self and team, 1 day,	2.50
John F. Twiss, man and team, 3 days,	12.00
Jos. Fenton, 2 days' labor,	3.00
Wm. Foley, 7 days' labor,	10.50
Tuffield Brothers, 2 days' labor,	3 00
Chas. Shaw, 40 loads gravel,	3.20
Denis Mahoney, self and team 8 days,	32.00
Denis Mahoney Jr., 8 days' labor,	12.00
Jas. Thompson, 8 days' labor,	12.00
Jos. M. Allen, services as Supt.,	2.00
" " man and team,	4 00
" " man $3\frac{1}{2}$ days,	5.25
M. H. Loftus, man and team $2\frac{1}{2}$ days,	10.00
Tom McCarty, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor,	5.25
Fred Bishop, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days' labor,	3.75
Martin Stokes, 1 day's labor,	1.50
Michael Molloy, 4 days' labor,	6.00
H. W. Stimson, labor,	17.80
Bert Trumble, labor,	.38
Reuben Lamb, labor,	6.38
Bat Moynahan, 3 loads sand,	.75
Geo. Lamb, 4 days' labor,	6.00
Jos. M. Allen, Supt. roads,	6 00
" " man and team,	9.00
H. W. Stimson, self and team,	8.23
Geo. Lamb, labor,	1.20
Reuben Lamb, labor,	1.20

Wm. Foley, labor,	\$ 1.50
Denis Mahoney, self and man,	4.00
Denis Mahoney Jr., labor,	1.50
M. H. Loftus, self and man,	4.00
M. H. Loftus, man,	11.00
Dennis Healey, labor,	8.25
Daniel Sullivan, labor,	1.50
John Dunn, labor,	1.50
L. G. Barker, man and team 1½ days,	6.00
John O'Connor, 1½ days' labor,	2.25
Jos. Fenton, 1½ days' labor,	2.25
Geo. W. Lamb, labor,	2.75
Buck & Whitcomb, tools, etc.,	13.60
Thos. Carmody, labor,	3.75
Chas. S. Ruggles, labor,	7.50
John Brothers, cutting brush,	1.20
B. F. Emory, men and teams,	35.00
F. E. Higgins, man and team,	2.00
W. H. Hitchcock, 105 lbs. lead pipe, strainer,	9.00
Thomas Carmody, 7 days' labor,	10.50
H. W. Stimson, self and team,	3.28
Albert King, labor,	2.00
Denis Mahoney, self and team,	3.20
Denis Mahoney Jr., labor,	2.70
John Rudek, labor,	1.20
D. Gray, labor,	2.25
John F. Twiss, man and team,	2.00
Jos. Kerigan, man and team,	4.12
C. A. Brown & Co., rake, shovel, etc.,	2.00
C. L. Holden & Sons, lantern, rake, shovel, etc.,	6.14
Chas. R. Shaw, shoveling snow,	.50
P. M. Shearer, shoveling snow,	.50
Ed. P. Brown, labor,	1.50
F. F. Marcy, storage of steam roller and engine from July 1st, 1900 to March 1st, 1902,	19.67
Jos. M. Allen, breaking roads,	35.00
Smith Harrington, breaking roads,	4.50
Denis Mahoney Sr., self and team,	4.80

Denis Mahoney Jr., labor,	\$ 1.80	
John Hagerty, labor,	1.80	
Geo. N. Smith, labor,	8.00	
John S. Jones, labor,	3.75	
Anton Peterson, labor,	2.25	
H. W. Stimson, breaking out roads,	7.05	
Geo. Lamb, breaking out roads,	.90	
Wm. Foley, breaking out roads,	.75	
Joseph Brinbeau, breaking out roads,	.30	
Joseph St. John, breaking out roads,	.30	
Sylvester P. Sullivan, breaking out roads,	.45	
B. Frank Emory, breaking out roads,	4.75	
T. J. Chalk, 5 loads stone for tramp room,	5.00	
		<hr/> \$4,797.59

BRIDGES.

Appropriation—

. \$1500.00

F. F. Marcy, labor and material, Commercial street,	\$ 1.39
Thos. D. Carmody, labor,	.75
M. McKelligott,	.75
Jos. M. Allen, (Wire Mill Bridge) self, team and material,	12.75
S. Leach, labor,	1.50
Thorndike Co., 822 ft. chestnut plank,	16.44
T. D. Potter & Co., lumber and spikes,	22.25
S. Leach, labor, Thorndike bridge,	8.05
S. Leach, labor, Hastings' bridge,	2.60
Jos. M. Allen, labor on Hastings' bridge,	2.00
David Fitzgerald, labor,	.37
John Fenton, labor,	2.25
Thos. D. Carmody, labor,	3.00
Thos. D. Carmody, labor, $\frac{1}{2}$ Belchertown,	18.00
Geo. Lee, painting, Bondsville,	37.00
T. D. Potter & Co., lumber,	30.98
Jos. Sweet, 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ days, Burleigh,	9.75
Jos. M. Allen, 7M 3-in. plank, Burleigh,	140.00

Jos. Allen, labor,	\$ 6.00
T. D. Potter & Co., 1205 ft. plank,	21.19
“ “ “ 38 lbs. nails,	1.52
“ “ “ keg 40d wire nails,	2.90
“ “ “ 2666 ft. chestnut,	47.98
“ “ “ 20 lbs. nails,	.80
“ “ “ 15 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$,	.42
“ “ “ 40 lbs. nails,	1.60
“ “ “ 1116 ft. chestnut,	20.08
“ “ “ 40 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$ in.,	1.00
“ “ “ 152 ft. 2 in.,	2.73
“ “ “ 1 keg 60d wire nails,	2.90
“ “ “ 1114 ft. 2-in. chestnut,	20.05
“ “ “ 30 lbs. nails,	1.20
“ “ “ 506 ft. 2-in. chestnut,	9.10
“ “ “ 40 lbs. nails,	1.60
“ “ “ 48 ft. 2 x 6 spruce,	.96
“ “ “ 120 ft. 2 x 4 pine,	1.92
“ “ “ 5 lbs. nails,	.20
“ “ “ 1226 ft. 2-in. chestnut,	
Three Rivers,	22.07
Geo. Saunders, labor and screws,	18.03
Jos. Fenton, labor,	12.00
Geo. E. Davis, labor,	20.00
Jos. M. Allen, 3750 ft. plank,	75.00
Paul Bordeau, 2 days' labor,	3.00
Peter Shabot, 2 days' labor,	3.00
E. Davis, 2 days' labor,	4 00
George Taylor, 2 days' labor,	3.00
Jos. M. Allen, man,	3 00
H. Ryder,	.50
T. D. Potter & Co., plank, Three Rivers,	18.91
H. D. Moulton, plank,	43.60
Thorndike Co., 126 ft. chest. plank,	2.77
S. Leach, labor, Thorndike,	5.00
“ “ State ave. bridge,	5.00
T. D. Potter & Co., 1007 ft. chest. plank,	20.14
T. D. Potter & Co., 302 ft. chest. plank,	6.04
T. D. Potter & Co., 15 lbs. nails,	.60

Jos. M. Allen, labor,	\$ 6.00	
Jos. M. Allen, 480 ft. plank,	9.60	
Jos. M. Allen, 20 ties,	4.00	
John Wilson, 135 lbs spikes,	5.09	
C. A. Brown & Co., cask spikes,	2.50	
Town of Brimfield, $\frac{1}{2}$ cost repairs, Blodgetts,	29 09	
Chas. P. Haynes, lumber,	10.15	
Geo. N. Stone, repairs, Cooley,	.75	
	<hr/>	\$786.88
Received from Town of Belchertown,		83.90
Due from Town of Monson,		84.99

SEWERS AND CULVERTS.

Appropriation—		\$600.00
Edw. McKelligott, labor,	\$ 4.50	
Jos. Merriam,	3.00	
E. Colgrove,	5.25	
Jos. M. Allen, men and teams,	11.75	
M. McKelligott,	11.25	
Thos. D. Carmody,	11.25	
D. Fenton,	8.25	
D. Keys,	.75	
Ed. McKelligott, 20 hours, sewers,	3.00	
Thos. Carmody, 20 hours, culverts,	3 00	
M. McKelligott, 10 hours, culverts,	1.50	
John Ritchie, 25 hours, sewers,	3.75	
Daniel Connor, 37 hours, sewers,	5.55	
Jos. M. Allen, 15 hours, men and team,	7.00	
D. Dwyer, 30 hours, sewers,	4 50	
W. H. Hitchcock, labor and material,	4.84	
S. Leach, labor and material,	7.30	
John T. Sullivan, labor and material,	7.20	
John F. Hanafin, sharpening tools,	5.14	
David Fitzgerald, 3 days, culverts,	4.50	
John Grady, 5 days, culverts,	7.50	
Thomas Carmody, 5 days, culverts,	7.50	
Dennis Fenton, 5 days, culverts,	7.50	

M. McKelligott, 4 days, culverts,	\$ 6.00
W. H. Hitchcock, sewer pipe,	4.70
Denis Mahoney, labor on culverts,	2.00
Denis Mahoney Jr., labor on culverts,	.75
John Hagerty, labor on culverts,	.75
Charles Rogers, labor on culverts,	.75
M. J. Dillon, labor on culverts,	9.05
Jos. M. Allen, labor on culverts,	2.80
M. H. Loftus, man and team,	6.00
Jerry Lynch, labor,	4.50
Dan Shea, labor,	3.00
Daniel Sullivan, labor,	2.25
Jos. M. Allen, men and teams,	10.00
T. D. Potter & Co., 400 brick, 1 bbl. cement,	7.00
Thos. D. Carmody, labor on culverts,	.75
John Ritchie,	1.50
Daniel Connor,	1.50
Alex Herran,	1.50
Jos. St. John,	1.50
John F. Twiss, man and team,	4.00
C. D. Holbrook Co., cement,	13.50
Edward McKelligett, 3 days,	4.50
Geo. A. Smith, 2 days, man and team,	8.00
John S. Jones, 3 days,	4.50
Neil Johnson, 2 days,	3.00
M. H. Loftus, 3½ days, man and team,	14.00
Joseph M. Allen, man and team, 1½ days,	6.00
Joseph M. Allen, man 2½ days,	3.75
P. Shugrue, 2 days,	3.00
P. Laplant, 2 days,	3.00
J. Riley, 2 days,	3.00
F. Bishop, 2 days,	3.00
Joseph M. Allen, man 3½ days,	5.25
Joseph M. Allen, man and team, 16 hours,	6.40
Palmer Mill, brick and cement,	9.80
Daniel Dwyer, labor,	1.30
Daniel Connor, 6 days,	9.00
Joseph Fenton, 6½ days,	9.75
M. H. Loftus, 3 days, man and team,	12.00

Fred Bishop, 3 days,	\$ 4.50
Dan Shea, 3 days,	4.50
Dan Sugrue, 6-10 days,	2.80
M. Lawlor, 300 brick,	1.80
William Sullivan, labor,	3.20
Joseph M. Allen, men and teams,	13.95
Edward Colgrove, labor,	1.50
M. J. Dillon, labor,	13.51
R. B. Francis, 3 sewer grates,	28.80
John Sullivan, labor,	3.60
Boston Duck Co., 8 ft. pipe,	1.60
C. D. Holbrook Co., 3 barrels cement,	4.50
Thorndike Co., cement and brick,	4.50
Joseph Fenton, labor,	10.50
Dan. Connor, labor,	10.80
J. F. Twiss, man and team,	2.00
Palmer Mill, brick and cement,	3.15
T. D. Potter & Co., brick and cement,	3.40
T. D. Potter & Co., pipe,	8.16
Joseph M. Allen, labor and teams,	5.25
M. H. Loftus, man and team,	5.25
Joseph M. Allen, labor,	2.00
Marcy & Gardner, 1,000 brick,	6.00
W. H. Hitchcock, pipe and bends,	10.20
Dan. Sullivan, labor,	1.50
M. H. Loftus, labor,	4.50
	————— \$490.30

RAILINGS.

Appropriation,	\$200.00
Thos. Carmody, 14½ rods,	\$14.50
W. H. Hitchcock, labor and material,	45.96
John Brothers, 24½ rods,	24.50
W. H. Hitchcock, labor and material,	5.19
	————— \$90.15

BOURNE STREET, THREE RIVERS.

Appropriation.		\$300.00
C. P. Haynes, man and team,	\$51.00	
Richard Coyer, labor,	25.50	
Alex Herran, labor,	18.37	
Daniel Connor, labor,	16.12	
Jos. St. John, labor,	19.12	
Jos. La Belle, labor,	14.25	
Daniel Manning, labor,	11.62	
L. A. Barker, man and team,	12.00	
John F. Twiss, man and team,	37.00	
John Ritchie, labor,	18.00	
Charles S. Ruggles, sewer grate,	4.00	
John O'Connor, labor,	14.62	
	<hr/>	\$241.60

POLICE.

Appropriation—		\$1,600.00
Thomas J. Conroy,	\$399.96	
James J. Manning,	399.96	
Michael Collins,	399.96	
John F. Luman,	183.27	
Edward F. McKelligett,	216.60	
	<hr/>	\$1,599.75

MEMORIAL DAY.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
L. L. Merrick post, G. A. R.,	\$100.00	

COMMITTEES ON TOWN ACCOUNT.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
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SHADE TREES.

Appropriation—		\$50.00
A. A. Warriner, tree warden,	\$30.00	

BONDS OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Appropriation—		\$200.00
H. G. Goodwin & Son, bond for J. A. Hawkes, tax collector,	\$60.00	
Bond for J. F. Holbrook, treasurer,	75.00	
		<hr/> \$135.00

SALARY OF TOWN TREASURER.

Appropriation—		\$300.00
Joseph F. Holbrook, treasurer,	\$300.00	

TAX COLLECTOR.

Appropriation—		\$350.00
J. A. Hawkes, collecting taxes, 1899,	\$350.00	

PROSECUTION OF ILLEGAL LIQUOR SALES.

Appropriation,		\$300.00
Thos. W. Kenefick, for services and advice,	\$25.00	

LIGHTING STREETS.

Appropriation,		\$4,500.00
Central Mass. Electric Co.,		
month of March,	\$416.66	
April,	375.00	
May,	375.00	
June,	375.00	
July,	375.00	
August,	375.00	
September,	375.00	
October,	375.00	
November,	375.00	
December,	375.00	
January, 1902,	375.00	
February,	375.00	
	<hr/>	\$4,541.66

LAND DAMAGE, THORNDIKE.

M. Lawlor, land damages,	\$100.00	
A. M. Bond, land damages,	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$150.00
Award of County Commissioners.		
Hallez case, appropriation,		\$1,500.00
Carroll & McClintock, amount of judgment and interest,	\$1,290.75	
John K. Barker, making plans, etc.,	37.34	
Thos. W. Kenefick,	123.97	
	<hr/>	\$1,452.06'

LAND DAMAGE, THREE RIVERS.

Appropriation—		\$180.00
Mrs. Honora Dunn,	\$180.00	

NEW ROAD THREE RIVERS.

Appropriation—		\$881.77
Palmer Mill, new road,	\$881.77	

SELECTMEN'S SALARIES.

Appropriation—		\$450.00
Chas. H. Hobbs,	\$140.00	
Chas. L. Holden,	140.00	
John F. Twiss,	140.00	
John F. Twiss, services as clerk,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$450.00

BOARD OF HEALTH SALARIES.

Appropriation—		\$100.00
Dr. G. H. Wilkins,	\$37.50	
Dr. J. P. Schneider,	37.50	
Dr. S. O. Miller,	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$100.00

ASSESSORS' SALARIES.

Appropriation,		\$550.00
John O. Hamilton,	\$200.00	
H. T. Bishop,	175.00	
A. A. Warriner,	175.00	
	<hr/>	\$550.00

YOUNG MEN'S LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

Appropriation—		\$1,000.00
L. E. Chandler, Treasurer,	\$500.00	
L. E. Chandler, Treasurer,	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,000.00

SIDEWALKS.

Appropriation,		\$700.00
M. H. Loftus, man and team,	\$10.00	
Jos. M. Allen, man and team,	4.00	
Jos. M. Allen, man 2 days,	3.00	
Ed. Slattery, 5 days,	7.50	
P. Laplant, 2 days,	3.00	
P. Shugrue, 2 days,	3.00	
G. Laplant, 2 days,	3.00	
J. Riley, 2 days,	3.00	
F. Bishop, 2 days,	3.00	
Wm. A. Thompson, 4 days, setting curbing,	12.00	
John F. Twiss, man and team, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days,	14.00	
John Ritchie, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days,	5.25	
Alex Herran, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days,	5.25	
Jos. St. John, $3\frac{1}{2}$ days,	5.25	
Albert King, 4 days, setting curbing,	14.00	
Charles T. Brainerd, man and team,	18.00	
George Saunders, labor,	1.26	
J. F. Twiss, man and team, $5\frac{1}{2}$ days,	22.00	
John Ritchie, $3\frac{3}{4}$ days,	5.62	
Jos. St. John, $3\frac{1}{4}$ days,	4.87	
Alex Herran, $3\frac{1}{4}$ days,	4.87	
Dan Connor, $1\frac{3}{4}$ days,	1.87	

John Connor, 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ days,	\$ 1.87	
Albert King, 13 hours' labor,	4.55	
Wm. Thompson, 13 hours' labor,	3.90	
Jos. M. Allen, man and team,	3.75	
B. F. Dotney, Three Rivers,	261.30	
B. F. Dotney, Palmer,	389.63	
B. F. Dotney, Thorndike,	176.79	
B. F. Dotney, Bondsville,	76.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,071.53
Received from abutters, one-half cost,		215.45
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		\$856.08

NEW GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Appropriation,		\$33,000.00
Old schoolhouse,		201.00
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		\$33,201.00
Amount reported, 1901,	\$26,087.54	
Hascal Dodge, seventh payment,	4,025.28	
H. G. Loomis, book case, mirror and box polish,	8.30	
L. W. Stebbins, 113 hours' labor	22.60	
Central Mass. Electric Co., material and labor,	40.46	
George E. Warner, labor.	18.60	
Central Mass. Electric Co., labor and material,	38.85	
Chas. E. Fish, cash paid for labor and expenses,	1.70	
Gardner, Pyne & Gardner, bal. on account,	170.00	
Donahoe Bros., third payment for plumbing,	300.00	
Chandler Adjustable Chair and Desk Co., 84 desks,	244.45	
E. S. Brooks, seven clocks,	25.55	
Chas. E. Fish, cash paid P. Carey for labor,	1.80	
Grand Rapids Furniture Co., 703 chairs,	242.66	
E. L. Dearborn, extra wiring,	6.50	
P. J. Donnelly, heating and ventilating,	102.50	
W. N. Flynt Granite Co., five cars of stone,	53.38	
Charles T. Brainerd, grading,	42.00	

Charles T. Brainerd, man and team,	\$ 38.00
J. P. Merriam, labor,	15.75
Fred Dockery, labor,	9.75
J. T. Murphy, labor,	11.25
P. Murphy, labor,	11.25
Geo. A. Shaw, man and team,	28.00
Albert King, labor,	22.75
Wm. R. Thompson, labor,	18.00
Edward King, labor,	4.50
Central Vermont R. R. Co., freight,	21.35
Chas. T. Brainard,	123.60
J. P. Merriam, labor,	26.85
Fred Dockery, labor,	26.85
J. S. Murphy, labor,	6.00
P. Murphy, labor,	32.70
H. Jungman, man and team,	79.60
Albert King, labor,	53.90
Wm. A. Thompson, labor,	46.20
Ed. King, labor,	22.35
Fred Wright, labor,	22.35
L. E. Wells, man and team,	50.80
M. Laford, man and team,	24.00
Daniel Crimmins, labor,	19.95
Wm. Fenton, labor,	2.25
F. D. Thompson, sharpening tools,	7.30
C. T. Brainerd, cash paid for grass seed, etc.,	2.16
P. M. Shearer, 150 loads loam,	22.50
J. F. Twiss, man and team,	22.00
J. W. Brainerd, labor and material,	38.58
W. H. Hitchcock, labor and material,	14.69
Central Vermont R. R. Co., freight,	4.30
W. N. Flynt Granite Co., stone,	159.65
J. A. Breckenridge, painting,	31.40
Monson Granite Co., step and setting,	7.00
B. F. Dotney, 259 8-9 yds. concrete,	103.92
F. F. Marcy, labor and material,	510.97
Springfield Iron Works, folding gate,	80.00
J. W. Brainerd, labor and material,	15.50
Springfield Iron Works, 30 window guards,	95.00
	<hr/> \$33,265.14

REPORT OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE, NEW GRAMMAR SCHOOL BUILDING.

At the annual town meeting, Monday, March 28, 1898, a committee, consisting of Messrs. Charles E. Fish, Henry G. Loomis, Charles L. Holden, Charles S. Ruggles and Homer C. Strong, was appointed to "investigate the needs of schoolhouse accommodations for the Depot Village, and to report at the next annual meeting."

No appropriation was made for this committee to secure plans and estimates. However, the committee at its own expense made a thorough investigation of the whole matter and submitted the following report and recommendations at the annual town meeting, Monday, April 3, 1899:—

"First, we find the present building totally inadequate to accommodate the number of pupils now enrolled. Present enrollment is 293. Largest attendance 297, or forty more than the building or teaching force can properly handle. To this should be added the increase for the coming year, which averages about eight per cent, making about 320 pupils to be provided for.

"Second, we find that very extensive repairs must be made to put the present building in proper condition to comply with the State sanitary and ventilating requirements. This with the additional rooms required would entail an expense that the condition of the building does not warrant.

"Your committee feels it would be a gross waste of the town's money to attempt to make the changes on the present building, for at most it would be a makeshift of a very few years, therefore, it would recommend that a new ten-room building of brick be erected on the present site of the grammar school, eight of the rooms to be finished for school purposes, two to be left as an assembly hall until such time as needed for schoolroom work. It further recommends that a sum not exceeding \$30,000 be raised and appropriated for said building and its equipment."

At this meeting it was voted to continue the same Building Committee, and that it procure plans and specifications for a new school building at the Depot Village, and report at the next annual town meeting. Mr. Fish, on his own request, was excused from serving and Mr. William H. Brainerd was appointed a member. An appropriation of \$500 was made for the committee's use in securing plans and estimates.

This Building Committee at the annual town meeting, Monday, April 2, 1900, submitted plans and estimates for remodeling and enlarging the old schoolhouse. Also two plans and estimates for a new building of ten rooms, and two plans and estimates for a new twelve-room building. From the estimates it appeared that it would cost from \$18,000 to \$20,000 to remodel and enlarge the old schoolhouse. The plans and estimates showed that there was little difference in cost between a ten-room and a twelve-room building, and that the difference in cost of a brick or wooden building was, under existing prices of material, about \$5,000. Of the \$500 appropriated the committee spent for plans and specifications, and all other expenses, only \$102.59.

It was then voted to build a new ten or twelve-room brick schoolhouse in the Depot Village at a cost not to exceed \$33,000.

It was also voted to leave the disposal of the old schoolhouse with the selectmen, and the proceeds so far as might be necessary to be used for the purchase of new furniture in the new building.

The old building was sold for \$201, thus the Building Committee had at its disposal to erect and equip a new schoolhouse \$33,201.

It was further voted to constitute Messrs. William H. Brainerd, Charles E. Fish, Charles L. Holden, Henry G. Loomis, Homer C. Strong, Alfred C. Thompson, and the Selectmen, Messrs. George M. Atkins, C. H. Hobbs and John F. Twiss, a Building Committee to carry into effect the vote of the town, respecting the building of a new brick schoolhouse in the Depot Village. The committee organized by electing Mr. W. H. Brainerd, chairman, and Mr. A. C. Thompson, secretary.

Plans were immediately made by the committee to begin the erection of a new twelve-room brick schoolhouse on the site of the old one as soon as the schools were closed for the summer vacation. An architect was selected, and contracts were awarded to the lowest bidder in each case for the erection of the building, heating and ventilating, and plumbing. The old schoolhouse, which had been sold by the selectmen, was moved off and the lot was cleared for the builders about the first of July, 1900.

The new building was ready for occupancy, March 1, 1901. The schools were moved into the new schoolhouse, and all began there March 7.

The committee has done everything possible to make the building serviceable in all respects. Two schoolrooms were furnished throughout with new furniture. The old furniture was renovated and placed in the other rooms. The assembly room was furnished with folding chairs and a piano. A principal's office and teachers' room were properly furnished. Clocks were put on the walls of every room. All the steam pipes were covered. A floor was laid in the attic to save fuel in heating. A storm door was built for the front entrance. A folding steel gate was also placed in the front entrance. Iron window guards were put onto every window in the basement. An expensive job of grading has been done and a long granite bank wall built to hold the grading in place. All of the walks about the building have been concreted, and concrete laid for the drip from the eaves. Granite curbstones have been placed on both Park and School streets. Loam has been placed upon the lawn, and grass seed sown, and many other things have been done to add utility and beauty to the new schoolhouse.

The total cost of the building and all of the extras above mentioned is \$33,265.14. All bills that the committee has knowledge of have been paid with the following exception: When the contractor pronounced the building completed the committee refused to accept it unconditionally as the electric wiring had not been done in full compliance with the rules and requirements of the New England Insurance Exchange as required by the terms of the contract. The committee ascertained also that the outside walls of the building had not been properly washed down. The attention of the architects and contractor was called to these matters. An understanding was entered into between the contractor and committee whereby \$200 of the contract price was to be retained by the town until the contractor had seen to it that the wiring was made satisfactory to the committee and the building properly washed down. The contractor has not yet attended to these matters, and the \$200 is still retained by the town.

The committee believes that the town of Palmer has as good a school building as any town in the state, constructed at a very reasonable cost.

This report was accepted by the Building Committee, February 5, 1902, and is respectfully submitted to the Town of Palmer.

Attest.

A. C. THOMPSON, *Secretary.*

Accepted

USE OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

Appropriation,		\$300.00
May 6.	Herbert C. Emerson, examination diphtheria cases,	\$18.00
	H. H. Paine, fumigating 13 houses and car fare,	13.70
June 3.	Herbert C. Emerson, examination case diphtheria,	2.00
	C. B. Fiske & Co., envelopes, printing, etc.,	7.00
Aug. 5.	Herbert C. Emerson, examination case diphtheria,	2.00
Oct. 7.	Herbert C. Emerson, examination case diphtheria,	2.00
	W. H. Hitchcock, labor, etc.,	.85
Nov. 4.	S. O. Miller, M. D., vaccinating 15 children,	3.75
Dec. 2.	H. H. Paine, fumigating,	23.60
	H. H. Paine, alcohol,	.75
	E. F. Leonard, regenerator,	25.00
	E. F. Leonard, formaldehyde, etc.,	24.14
	H. K. Mulford Co., rep. formaldehyde burner,	2.50
	W. C. Trumble, aid Rose Mathieu at pest house,	7.50
Jan. 6.	L. G. Barker, wood and coal at pest house,	15.75
	Herbert C. Emerson, examination 6 cases diphtheria,	8.00
	E. B. Taylor, goods for Talsbury,	1.41
	W. C. Trumble, aid Mr. Hathaway,	11.79
	W. C. Trumble, aid Rose Mathieu,	6.48
	C. L. Holden & Sons, aid Mr. Hathaway,	5.14
	C. L. Holden & Sons, aid Rose Mathieu,	11.17
	H. S. Hobson, fumigating Paulin house,	2.20

Jan. 6.	Dr. G. H. Wilkins, cash paid for telephoning, etc.,	\$ 5.68	
	Mrs. Philomen Cantin, nursing Rose Mathieu,	65.00	
	D. E. Marcy, team for Dr. Morse,	2.00	
	Lyman L. Keith, medicine for Rose Mathieu,	4.45	
	Lyman L. Keith, medicine for Mr. Hathaway,	4.70	
	Dr. Geo. Hebert, vaccinating Mrs. Mathieu and family,	4 00	
	Dr. Geo. Hebert, vaccinating Mrs. Hathaway,	.50	
	J. P. Schneider, telephoning and vaccinating,	13.31	
	Charles O'Connor, guarding pest house,	42.00	
27.	Dr. Geo. Hebert, medical attendance Wm. Hathaway,	214.00	
	Dr. Geo. Hebert, medical attendance Rose Mathieu,	186.00	
Feb. 3.	S. A. Ramsden, teams to pest house,	20.00	
	H. H. Paine, fumigating 17 houses,	18.00	
10.	C. B. Fiske & Co., 200 cards of contagious diseases,	2.50	
	T. J. Clifford, brandy for Rose Mathieu,	2.25	
	E. F. Shaw, goods furnished Rose Mathieu,	5.41	
	E. F. Shaw, goods furnished Wm. Hathaway,	19.22	
	Herbert C. Emerson, examination 6 cases diphtheria and telephone,	6.15	
		<hr/>	\$809.90

It is expected that \$622.86 of above expenditure will be reimbursed to the town.

DUE FOR SIDEWALKS.

Ed. Goods,	\$14.94	
John Loftus Est.,	12.29	
Wm. Lawton,	5.25	
Rev. J. P. Marchand,	8.78	
J. W. Shanks,	17.53	
Mrs. Rosa Chibbery,	9.33	
Jos. Jaworek,	8.80	
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		\$76.92

DUE FOR SEWER LICENSES.

F. M. Eager,	\$30.00
J. H. Tuthill,	30.00
William M. Sullivan,	30.00

FERRILL CROSSING.

Thos. W. Kenefick, services and expenses in securing amendments to the decree,	\$101.52
H. A. Northrop, serving notices, etc.,	\$14.85
- It is expected that before the annual meeting is held about four hundred dollars will be re-imbursed to the town on account of its ex- penditures made in this regard.	

WIRE MILL CROSSING.

Robert O. Morris, 3 copies of decree and fees for recording,	\$7.50
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AUDITORS.

Appropriation,	\$40.00
Chas. K. Gamwell, services,	\$20.00

RECAPITULATION.

	Appropriation.	Expenditures.
Contingent,	\$3,000.00	\$2,924.77
Highways,	5,000.00	4,797.59

Police,	\$1,600.00	\$1,599.75
Electric lights,	4,500.00	4,541.66
Library,	1,000.00	1,000.00
Bridges,	1,500.00	786.88
Sewers and culverts,	600.00	490.30
Sidewalks,	700.00	1,071.53
Railings,	200.00	90.15
New road, Three Rivers,	881.77	881.77
Land damage,	180.00	180.00
Illegal liquor selling,	300.00	25.00
Selectmen's salaries,	450.00	450.00
Assessors' salaries,	550.00	550.00
Treasurer,	300.00	300.00
Tax Collector,	350.00	350.00
Board of Health,	100.00	100.00
Auditors,	40.00	20.00
Bonds, Treasurer and Tax Collector,	200.00	135.00
Memorial Day,	100.00	100.00
Grading Bourne St., Three Rivers,	300.00	241.60
Special committee on town accounts,	100.00	
Shade trees,	50.00	30.00
Ferrill Crossing,		116.00
Hallez case,	1,500.00	1,452.06
Wire Mill Crossing		7.50
Land damage at Thorndike,		150.00
Use of Board of Health,	300.00	809.90
New Grammar School,	33,201.00	33,265.14

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Contingencies,	\$3,000.00	←
Highways,	5,000.00	←
Railings,	200.00	
Sewers and culverts,	600.00	
Bridges,	1,000.00	

JOHN F. TWISS, } *Selectmen*
 CHAS. L. HOLDEN, } *of*
 C. H. HOBBS, } *Palmer.*

List of Jurors.

J. O. Mathews,
 Jas. B. Shaw,
 Michael J. Griffin,
 A. J. Newton,
 Edward J. Fuller,
 P. H. McKelligott,
 Beni Furkey,
 Fred L. Gunn,
 John Mansfield,
 Wm. S. Taylor,
 D. J. Sullivan, School street,
 Butler Sedgwick,
 John McBride,
 Peter E. Bard,
 O. A. Parent,
 E. C. Sexton,
 Ed. P. Brown,
 H. W. Holbrook,
 John T. Sullivan,
 Chas. D. Holden,
 Wm. Herren,
 F. W. Langlier,
 J. A. Breckenridge,
 Frank Phaneuff,
 George Roberts,
 Frank Lamb,
 Thomas Johnson,
 John D. Donovan,
 Isaac F. Gerald,
 John Daley,
 Jos. M. Allen,
 Thos. J. Chalk,
 M. Holden,
 E. W. Phinney,
 R. F. Donovan,
 Thos. D. Frame,
 Fred A. Alden,
 Frank Camerlin,
 Edward Sharratt,
 Philip C. Story,
 Arthur Gervais,

James J. Casey,
 Dennis Daley,
 P. M. Shearer, Jr.,
 John Dimock,
 Jas. O. Hamilton,
 H. W. Brainerd,
 Frank J. Roche,
 John P. Eastman,
 Fred H. Smith,
 Michael Barrett,
 E. A. Maxwell,
 Thos. J. Conroy,
 Patrick Crowley,
 Chas. R. Russell,
 Edward E. Ryther,
 P. J. Daley,
 George Ezekiel,
 John W. Brainerd,
 John Wilson,
 Moses J. Longtine,
 Daniel J. Sullivan, High St.,
 Albert King,
 Bouvia Joseph,
 George Lafave,
 Cyrus W. Knox,
 Harry T. Dufour,
 H. H. Paine,
 John Sugrue,
 Chas. Underwood,
 Chas. E. Shumway,
 Michael Collins,
 Warren Trumbull,
 Patrick J. Fitzgerald,
 L. A. Conant,
 C. W. Hastings,
 J. J. Kelly,
 Ernest Massi,
 Frank L. Barton,
 Horace R. Paine,
 Alfred Morresette,
 William A. Barnes.

JOHN F. TWISS,	} <i>Selectmen</i>
C. L. HOLDEN,	
C. H. HOBBS,	
	} <i>of Palmer.</i>

MARCH 1st, 1902.

Report of the Overseers of the Poor.

SUPPORT OF POOR NOT ON TOWN FARM.

Northampton Insane Hospital,		
Aid to James Sullivan,	\$169.46	
Bridget Bresnahan,	169.46	
Rebecca Burpee,	140.68	
Annie Bacon,	169.46	
Joseph Dominey,	169.46	
Taunton Insane Hospital,		
Aid to George Gerald,	169.46	
Medfield Insane Hospital,		
Aid to Harriet Gerald,	146.00	
Abbie A. Lynes,	7.12	
Mary Callahan,	146.00	
Westboro Insane Hospital,		
Aid to Daniel McKelligot,	171.60	
Emma Graham,	169.46	
Commonwealth of Mass., aid to Margaret		
Fleming,	78.46	\$1,706.62
Cash paid, looking up settlements,	50.77	
City of New Bedford, aid to Harmedias Diuteaw,	43.25	
City of New Bedford, aid to Joseph Fortune,	21.00	
Town of Belchertown, aid to Peter Labida,	11.00	
Town of Blackstone, aid to Patrick Burns,	12.50	
M. H. Loftus, aid to Timothy McCarty,	9.00	
Town of Grafton, aid to Timothy McCarty,	49.63	
H. W. Smith, aid to Timothy McCarty,	6.75	
City of Worcester, aid to Timothy McCarty,	52.00	
Springfield Hospital, aid to Timothy McCarty,	190.00	
J. W. Loftus, burial of Timothy McCarty,	18.00	325.38

G. W. Lent, aid to Mrs. H. Come,	\$ 40.00	
Walker & Kellogg, aid to Mrs. H. Come,	156.00	
Ham & Miller, aid to Mrs. H. Come,	16.13	\$112.13
Joseph Bondville, aid to Anthony Austin,	8.00	
J. F. Foley, aid to Anthony Austin,	2.00	
E. Goodes, aid to Anthony Austin,	2.75	
G. W. Lent, aid to Anthony Austin,	24.00	
City of Holyoke, aid to Anthony Austin,	24.10	
William Blake, burial of Samuel Frost,	25.50	
Walker & Kelley, aid to Mrs. James Vashe,	120.00	
G. W. Lent, aid to Mrs. James Vashe,	8.00	128.00
Walker & Kelley, aid to Thomas Sampson,	72.00	
M. Lawlor, aid to Mrs. Jane Riley,	78.00	
New Eng. Telephone Co., use of telephone,	25.00	
Walker & Kelley, aid to Mrs. John Dunn,	9.75	
Dr. H. A. Smith, aid to Edgar Butterfield,	1.00	
T. D. Potter & Co., aid to Maggie Shea,	5.25	
Brown Brothers, aid to Maggie Shea,	5.00	
J. F. Holbrook & Son, aid to E. F. Nichols,	10.25	
J. F. Foley, aid to E. F. Nichols,	8.00	
G. W. Lent, aid to E. F. Nichols,	16.00	
F. D. Barton, aid to E. F. Nichols,	54.00	\$88.25
Dr. J. G. Hebert, transportation of Ann Hammill,	28.21	
City of Fall River, aid to Ann Hammill,	113.00	141.21
E. F. Shaw, aid to Hattie Young,	60.00	
John W. Loftus, burial of Michael Dockery,	21.25	
Commonwealth of Mass., aid to Della M. Hill,	81.60	
Commonwealth of Mass., aid to Maggie Ellis,	21.42	
O. A. Parent, aid to Bridget McCarty,	30.73	
City of Lowell, aid to Charles Dumas,	16.50	
C. B. Fiske & Co., printing,	3.00	
Cash paid, transportation of Abbie Shea,	3.54	
City of Holyoke, aid to Abbie Shea,	115.13	
D. L. Bodfish, aid to Abbie Shea,	4.98	
Mrs. F. L. Barton, aid to Abbie Shea,	98.26	221.91
Walker & Kelley, aid to H. Dill,	64.50	
City of Springfield, aid to Mrs. Kate Hannafin,	86.49	
City of Springfield, aid to Julia O'Donald,	26.00	

City of Springfield, aid to Florence McCarty,	\$ 2.50
City of Springfield, aid to Delia O. Russell,	1.86
City of Springfield, aid to Mary and Kate Cahill,	19.56
M. H. Loftus, aid to Thomas O'Donald,	1.25
J. L. Fairbanks & Co., books,	9.50
Cash aid, paid out,	49.73
H. A. Northrop, aid to Grace Smith,	18.25
Town of Westfield, aid to William E. Bowen,	8.58
Town of Westfield, aid to Joseph Labeau,	6.00
Town of Westfield, aid to James Kerr,	15.45
Cash paid postage stamps and cards,	10.50
City of Chicopee, aid to Adalaird Mayott,	53.00
Springfield Hospital, aid to William Brooks,	7.00
Oliver LaSalle, burial of William Brooks,	15.00
Cash paid telegraph and telephoning,	14.73
E. F. Shaw, aid to Addie Dominey,	50.75
City of Chicopee, aid to Joseph A. Cadieux,	38.00
W. E. Stone, aid to L. W. Tanner,	60.00
Brown Bros., aid to Mary O'Brien,	36.00
Brown Bros., aid to Kate Fenton,	36.00
C. H. Giroux, aid to F. Shepard,	1.00
O. A. Parent, aid to Annie Crowley,	21.42
G. W. Lent, aid to John Roman,	20.00
M. Lawlor, aid to John Roman,	40.66
Clark & Hastings, aid to John Roman,	10.00
A. H. Gates, aid to John Roman,	14.37
Cash paid electric car fare,	8.95
City of Worcester, aid to Henry Hubert,	5.00
Springfield Hospital, aid to William Colgrove,	39.00
Town of Hardwick, aid to Joseph R. Strick-	
land,	141.46
John R. Tomblin, burial of Joseph R. Strick-	
land,	17.50
Town of Ware, aid to Tuffield Gokey,	70.00
City of Holyoke, aid to Mrs. Joseph Lemieux,	88.00
C. L. Holden & Sons, aid to Nellie Rose,	48.00
Cash paid for stationery,	5.50
Joseph Belanger, aid to Stanis Drudec,	3.30
J. J. Manning, aid to Fred Freak,	7.00

Springfield Hospital, aid to Fred Freak,	\$ 39.00
John W. Loftus, burial of John Roman's child,	5.00
E. B. Taylor, aid to Mrs. E. Sweet,	3.00
E. B. Taylor, aid to Daniel Matterson,	10.00
J. F. Holbrook & Son, aid to Kate Collins,	6.50
Joseph Belanger, aid to Euseb Wemett,	5.00
City of Lawrence, aid to Frank Sweet,	4.90
J. F. Holbrook & Son, aid to James O. Shaw,	6.75
L. L. Dupuis, aid to Mrs. E. Dugas,	6.00
L. L. Dupuis, aid to Euseb Wemett,	11.00
J. F. Holbrook, postage for Poor Department,	2.00
Warriner & Herren, aid to Henry Blanchard,	8.00
Warriner & Herren, aid to Joseph Labeau,	12.00
Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical services to town,	75.00
Dr. G. H. Wilkins, medical attendance to J. O'Donnell,	5.00
Cash expense to Webster after Mrs. T. Mc- Carty,	3.25
Cash expense to Boston, Thomas Wier,	3.80
Salaries of Overseers of the Poor,	400.00
W. F. Fillmore, aid to Joseph Labeau,	4.50
Commonwealth of Mass., aid to Cornelius O'Connor,	33.43
Joseph Belanger, burial of Blanchard child,	5.00
	<hr/> \$5,299.81

SUPPORT OF POOR ON TOWN FARM.

G. W. Lent, services as warden,	\$600.00
D. L. Bodfish, goods to farm,	47.44
W. H. Laird, goods to farm,	16.46
D. F. Holden, goods to farm,	56.70
E. H. Truesdell, goods to farm,	112.47
G. A. Bills, goods to farm,	148.15
J. F. Foley, goods to farm,	309.56
F. W. Lent, labor,	180.00
Telephone Co., use of telephone,	9.25
L. A. Conant, paper,	5.76
E. B. Taylor, goods to farm,	19.52

C. A. Brown & Co., goods to farm,	\$ 34.42	
M. Lawlor, goods to farm,	404.39	
C. L. Holden & Sons, goods to farm,	125.31	
Ham & Miller, goods to farm,	190.38	
Frederick Thompson, goods to farm,	172.21	
W. F. Fillmore, goods to farm,	506.29	
W. H. Hitchcock, goods to farm,	12.34	
F. J. Hamilton, goods to farm,	20.00	
W. E. Stone, goods to farm,	21.32	
C. K. Gamwell, goods to farm,	25.25	
Buck & Whitecomb, goods to farm,	29.88	
S. H. Hellyar, goods to farm,	10.06	
A. M. Bond, goods to farm,	2.00	
A. E. Fitch, insurance,	16.25	
	<hr/>	\$3,075.41

TOWN FARM.

Whole number at Town Farm during the year, 54.

Largest number at any one time, 45.

Average during the year, 31½.

Average cost per week per person, \$1.88.

Males, 34 ; females, 20.

Died at farm during the year, 11.

Males, 9 ; females, 2.

INVENTORY AT TOWN FARM, MARCH 1, 1902.

Live stock,	\$995.00	
Hay and grain,	682.40	
Wood and lumber,	279.00	
Farming tools,	668.00	
Furniture and fixtures,	496.00	
Beds and Bedding,	226.25	
Tin, glass, crockery and wooden ware,	166.85	
Provisions and supplies,	178.83	
	<hr/>	\$3,692.33
Inventory March 1st, 1901,		3,636.15
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Increase,		\$56.18

RECEIPTS AT TOWN FARM.

From March 1st, 1901, to March 1, 1902,	\$2,332.87
Paid out for supplies for farm,	2,300.16
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Cash on hand,	\$32.71

POOR BELONGING TO OTHER TOWNS.

TOWN OF BARRE.

L. L. Dupuis, aid to Frederick Goodreau,	\$12.00	
L. G. Barker, aid to Frederick Goodreau,	4.25	
	<hr/>	\$16.25

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD.

Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical attendance to Mrs. Thomas Richmond,	\$5.00	
J. F. Holbrook, aid to Henry Fisher,	3.50	
W. E. Stone, aid to Henry Fisher,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$11.50

CITY OF HAVERHILL.

J. F. Holbrook & Son, aid to Charles A. Adams,	\$10.50	
J. M. Allen, aid to Charles A. Adams,	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$16.50

TOWN OF MONSON.

W. E. Stone, aid to Ann Paro,	\$2.00	
Frederick Thompson, aid to Ann Paro,	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$4.00

TOWN OF WARREN.

J. F. Foley, aid to Lewis Pariso,	\$6.00	
S. H. Brown, aid to Lewis Pariso.	5.43	
W. E. Stone, aid to Lewis Pariso,	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$16.43

TOWN OF BROOKFIELD.

F. J. Hamilton, aid to Mrs. C. M. Bowen,	\$1.50	
G. A. Bills, aid to Mrs. C. M. Bowen,	1.50	
E. B. Taylor, aid to Mrs. C. M. Bowen,	4.00	
Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical attendance Mrs. C. M. Bowen,	2.50	
D. F. Holden, aid to Mrs. C. M. Bowen,	7.00	
	<hr/>	\$16.50

CITY OF CHICOPEE.

Warriner & Herran, aid to Reuben Kenyon,	\$34.00	
Edward Cary, aid to Timothy Lynch,	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$36.00

CITY OF NORTHAMPTON.

Walker & Kelley, aid to Margaret Dunn,	\$48.00
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TOWN OF HAMPDEN.

Mrs. F. M. Shaw, aid to Mary A. Walker,	\$104.00	
Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical attendance to Mary A. Walker,	4.00	
	<hr/>	\$108.00

TOWN OF WILBRAHAM.

E. F. Shaw, aid to F. A. Lincoln,	\$16.69	
Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical attendance to F. A. Lincoln,	16.45	
J. F. Hamilton, aid to F. A. Lincoln,	3.38	
W. E. Stone, aid to F. A. Lincoln,	3.00	
	<hr/>	\$39.52

CITY OF WORCESTER.

H. G. Loomis, burial of James H. Early,	\$ 8.00	
Warriner & Herran, aid to A. Raymond,	17.16	
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		\$307.86

SUPPORT OF STATE POOR.

Warriner & Herran, aid to William Ouilett,	\$10.50
N. Girouard, aid to Edgar Butterfield,	9.00
Dr. L. H. Hendee, medical attendance to Edgar Butterfield,	6.00
Dr. L. H. Hendee, medical attendance to Peter Langevin,	6.00
E. B. Taylor aid to Peter Langevin,	4.00
Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical attendance to Peter Langevin,	9.00
E. Goodes, aid to Peter Langevin,	.50
Frederick Thompson, aid to Peter Langevin,	4.50

Warriner & Herran, aid to Peter Langevin,	\$18.90
John Wilson & Co., aid to Peter Langevin,	9.00
J. B. Shaw, aid to Philip Harnoise,	3.00
E. Goodes, aid to Philip Harnoise,	4.65
Oliver LaSalle, burial of Harnoise's child,	6.00
Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical attendance to Barbara Boskoski,	7.00
H. G. Loomis, burial of unknown man,	15.00
M. Moriarty, burial of John Krol,	15.00
Transportation to Tewksbury of Orga Apolonijs,	1.68
Albert Zrukowskis, aid to Mary Gaudec,	6.00
Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical attendance to Mary Gaudec,	12.00
Dr. G. J. Hebert, medical attendance to Joseph Labell,	2.00
Warriner & Herran, aid to Joseph Labell,	7.50
L. G. Barker, aid to Joseph Labell,	2.50
Transportation to Tewksbury of Maxhim Paro,	2.57
Transportation to Tewksbury of Edward Everett,	2.86
E. Goodes, aid to Alfred Alarie,	2.00
W. E. Stone, aid to Alfred Alarie,	2.00
Frank Hamilton, aid to Alfred Alarie,	3.50
Central Vermont R. R. Co., aid to Alfred Alarie,	3.10
Miss Mary Hanley, aid to Mary Gaudec,	7.00
E. B. Taylor, aid to Frank W. Taylor,	3.00
Town of Warren, aid to Exsede Garnache,	23.00
Transportation to Tewksbury of Martin Worhal,	2.20
Joseph Belanger, burial of Jean Masson,	15.00
Central Vermont R. R. Co., aid to Paul Dinnell and family,	35.00
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	\$260.46

SUPPORT OF TRAMPS.

A. O. Allen, care of tramp room,	\$60.00
A. O. Allen, crackers,	12.52
A. O. Allen, brooms,	.50

A. O. Allen, working tramps,	\$ 32.25	
A. O. Allen, sledge handles,	1.25	
Palmer Savings Bank, rent of tramp room,	90.00	
	<hr/>	\$196.52

CONTINGENT FUND.

J. H. Stimpson, horse,	\$85.00	
T. D. Potter & Co., paint and oil,	58.51	
S. Leach, labor and material,	17.00	
A. E. Fitch, insurance,	171.45	
	<hr/>	\$331.56

RECAPITULATION.

CASH PAID OUT.

Poor not on Town Farm,	\$5,299.81	
Poor on Town Farm,	3,075.41	
Poor belonging to the State,	260.40	
Tramps,	196.52	
Contingencies,	331.96	
Other towns,	307.86	
	<hr/>	\$9,471.96

CASH RECEIVED.

Appropriation for poor,	\$6,500.00	
Contingent fund,	300.00	
Salaries,	400.00	
From the State,	304.08	
Monson, ,	18.77	
Warren,	22.43	
Chicopee,	46.25	
Brookfield,	9.50	
Worcester,	8.00	
Wilbraham,	39.52	
Barre,	16.25	
Northampton,	44.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,708.80
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		\$1,863.16

BILLS DUE THE TOWN..

State.	\$ 26.31	
Hampden,	150.00	
Springfield,	11.50	
Haverhill,	16.50	
Brookfield,	7.00	
Northampton,	4.00	
Worcester,	17.16	
	<hr/>	\$232.47
Amount overdrawn,		\$1,630.69

The Overseers recommend the following appropriations :

Support of poor,	\$7,000.00
Contingent fund,	500.00
Salaries,	400.00

WILLIAM MERRIAM,	} Overseers of Poor.
H. T. BISHOP,	
R. L. BOND,	

Report of the Board of Health.

The Board of Health respectfully submits the following report :

The cases of contagious and infectious diseases reported to the board during the past twelve months have been less than half the number reported the previous year.

Scarlet fever leads the list in numbers and shows that from one to seven cases were reported each month. Yet your board is pleased to report only one death from this cause.

On Sunday, July 21st, a telegram was received from the State Board of Health of Rhode Island, stating that a Mrs. Patnode and two children of Pawtucket had broken quarantine there, and were supposed to be in Three Rivers. They were found in the home of Mr. Paulin in that village, the two children suffering from smallpox. Strict quarantine was enforced and before it was removed Mr. Paulin's illness with smallpox was reported and quarantine maintained until his recovery, September 14th. Two other cases in the town were removed to the pest house, where they were cared for until recovery, when they were released.

Mr. Paulin's is the only case contracted in town—infection coming from the Patnode children, who were staying at his home—the other cases coming, one from Pennsylvania and one from Canada.

Owing to the general vaccination in the several villages last year, and also of all school children *this* year, the board feels that the town is well fortified against an epidemic of the dread disease.

As is shown by the Selectmen's report the appropriation has been overdrawn, but the town will be largely reimbursed by the State, as the cases cared for had no legal settlement here.

Your board has been recently notified by the town of Stoneham, Mass., of the illness with smallpox of Lizzie Merritt, who has a legal settlement in Palmer, and that they shall look to this town for the payment of all reasonable expenses incurred by the town of Stoneham in the care and aid furnished in this case. This bill may amount to several hundred dollars, to be paid the coming year, which will make a large appropriation necessary.

We submit the following tables of statistics :

TABLE NO. 1.

Showing the number of contagious and infectious diseases reported to the board from March 1, 1901, to March 1, 1902.

	Mch.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Total
Diphtheria	3	3						1			1		8
Scarlet fever	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	7		6	1	2	32
Typhoid fever				1		2	1	1	1			5	11
Measles			2			2						1	7
Membranous croup							1				1		1
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis					2	1			2				5
Smallpox													
Total	4	5	3	2	4	6	3	9	10	6	5	8	65

TABLE NO. 2.

Number of deaths reported to the board during the year :

Mch.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
12	9	7	6	11	10	11	12	13	15	10	15

Number of burial permits issued by the board, 131

Number of undertakers' licenses issued by the board, 6

Number of slaughter house licenses issued by the board, 3

TABLE NO. 3.

Ages at death of persons dying in Palmer from March 1, 1901, to March 1, 1902 (exclusive of still births).

1 to 2 years,	7.	Males, 2; females,	5.
2 to 3 "	4.	" 1; "	3.
3 to 4 "	0.	" 0; "	0.
4 to 5 "	1.	" 0; "	1.
5 to 10 "	1.	" 0; "	1.
10 to 15 "	3.	" 3; "	0.
15 to 20 "	3.	" 1; "	2.
20 to 30 "	10.	" 5; "	5.
30 to 40 "	5.	" 2; "	3.
40 to 50 "	4.	" 2; "	2.
50 to 60 "	6.	" 4; "	2.
60 to 70 "	22.	" 12; "	10.
70 to 80 "	12.	" 6; "	6.
80 to 90 "	7.	" 4; "	3.
90 to 100 "	0.	" 0; "	0.
Less than 1 year,	39.	" 28; "	11.
Unknown,	1.	" 1; "	0.

REPORT OF THE BACTERIOLOGIST.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., March 1, 1902.

To the Board of Health, Town of Palmer :

I have the honor to submit the following report for the year ending February 28, 1902.

There have been referred to me for examination for diphtheria during the past year eighteen (18) cases, seventeen (17) of which were for diagnosis and one (1) for release. Of the cases for diagnosis 11 or 64 per cent of the total number did not prove to be diphtheria, and 6 showed diphtheria bacilli. This large proportion of negative cases shows the advantage of this method of diagnosis, and its general use in all cases of sore throat cannot but be of great value in locating new cases of this disease.

Cultures for release have been regularly submitted and these final negative cultures contribute positively to prevent the further spread of diphtheria.

The following tables present summaries of the work done during the year :

CASES EXAMINED.

MONTHS.	FOR DIAGNOSIS.		FOR RELEASE.	Totals.
	Positive.	Negative.	Negative.	
March,	3	3
April,	2	3	..	5
May,	..	1	..	1
July,	..	1	..	1
August,	..	1	..	1
November,	..	2	1	3
December,	..	1	..	1
January,	1	2	..	3
Total,	6	11	1	18

CULTURES EXAMINED.

Cultures for diagnosis, postive,	6
Cultures for diagnosis, negative,	13
Cultures for release, positive,	10
Cultures for release, negative,	15
Cultures for release, no growth,	2
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Total cultures examined,	46

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT C. EMERSON, M. D.,

Bacteriologist.

Your board would recommend the appropriation of the sum of eight hundred dollars "for the use of the board" in addition to the salaries of the same.

J. P. SCHNEIDER, } *Board of Health*
 SAMUEL O. MILLER, } *of Palmer.*

Report of Cemetery Commissioners.

The Cemetery Commissionrs of the town of Palmer respectfully submit the following report of the receipts and expenditures for the year ending March 1, 1902, as follows:

Appropriation for 1901,		\$500.00
Received for deeds " Depot " cemetery,		330.00
Received for deeds " Four Corners " cemetery,		40.00
Received from interest on funds in bank,		51.42
Orders drawn for labor, etc.,	\$598.58	
Interest on fund for labor, etc.,	51.42	
Balance unused in treasury,	271.42	
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	\$921.42	\$921.42
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Balance in treasury unused,		\$271.42

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation, 1901,	\$500.00
F. B. Pope, deed of lot,	24.00
Harman E. Acker, deed of lot,	12.00
Albert Remington, deed of lot,	12.00
Elizabeth R. McComber, deed of lot,	24.00
Charles F. Thompson, deed of lot,	8.00
Walter A. Burford, burial,	1.00
C. H. Hobbs, deed of lot,	24.00
O. C. Marcy estate, deed of lot,	30.00
Albert D. Thomas, deed of lot,	30.00
George N. Stone, deed of lot,	11.00
D. F. Holden, hay,	3.00

Omer W. Marcy, deed of lot,	\$24.00	
B. D. Parsons, deed of lot,	8.00	
Myra C. Hamblin, deed of lot,	8.00	
Mrs. Mary A. Holden, deed of lot,	24.00	
A. L. Warriner, deed of lot,	8.00	
Charles Norberg, burial,	1.00	
Edwin L. Wright, deed of lot,	8.00	
Mrs. Josiah Stebbins, deed of lot,	6.00	
Mrs. George W. Adams, deed of lot,	48.00	
Mass. Hospital for Epileptics, burial,	1.00	
John Kimber, deed of lot,	15.00	
Henry G. Trumble, deed of lot,	8.00	
John P. Eastman, deed of lot,	24.00	
Mrs. Mary. M. Nelson, deed of lot,	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$870.00

Orders drawn for labor, etc., on account cemeteries,		\$598.58
To H. G. Loomis, Secretary, 1900,	\$ 25.00	
" " cash paid laborers,	200.00	
C. A. Brown & Co.,	47.80	
Servetus Leach,	89.03	
C. S. Ruggles,	27.75	
O. E. Butler,	20.00	
C. S. Ruggles,	44.00	
C. B. Fiske & Co.,	77.10	
John P. Eastman,	31.30	
H. G. Loomis, Secretary, 1901,	25.00	
Mrs. Richard Hall, 1900,	3.00	
C. A. Brown & Co., 1900,	8.60	
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	\$598.58	\$598.58

Account of cash paid laborers at cemeteries by H. G.		
Loomis, Commissioner, from cash received on town		
order,		\$200.00
Interest on fund at bank, care lots,		51.42
Paid B. Woodhead,	\$1.00	
W. B. Grout,	.60	
C. D. Holbrook Co.,	9.75	

Paid Mrs. R. Hall,	\$ 3.00	
Mrs. L. G. Miller,	2.00	
M. J. Dillon,	14.38	
Fred'k M. Webber,	12.72	
J. Wesson Phelps,	14.37	
Wm. Long,	13.05	
James Summers,	2.45	
C. A. LeGro,	.80	
Frank Cook,	1.20	
Samuel Ferry,	8.25	
Geo. R. Shaw,	4.00	
Geo. A. Smith,	12.00	
F. F. Marcy,	.60	
Franklin Shaw,	24.22	
E. A. Buck,	3.65	
F. W. Taylor,	6.00	
C. A. Brown & Co.,	2.65	
L. S. Bowen,	48.81	
Henry Bliss,	1.50	
Daniel Coleman,	9.07	
B. A. Grout,	2.78	
Chas. E. Brooks,	8.02	
Oliver LaSalle,	1.50	
Bergen Bros.,	10.50	
John Wilson,	1.05	
Mishler Bros.,	22.00	
B. & A. R. R.,	3.48	
H. G. Loomis,	.25	
A. O. Allen,	.50	
Lawn mower,	2.50	
Buck & Whitcomb,	2.77	
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	\$251.42	\$251.42

RECEIVED FOR DEEDS.

DEPOT CEMETERY.

F. B. Pope, deed of lot,	\$24.00
Harman E. Acker, deed of lot,	12.00
Albert Remington, deed of lot,	12.00

Elizabeth R. McComber, deed of lot,	\$24.00	
Charles F. Thompson, deed of lot,	8.00	
Walter A. Burford, 1 burial,	1.00	
C. H. Hobbs, deed of lot,	24.00	
O. C. Marcy Estate, deed of lot,	30.00	
Albert D. Thomas, deed of lot,	30.00	
Geo. N. Stone, deed of lot,	11.00	
D. F. Holden, for grass,	3.00	
Omer W. Marcy, deed of lot,	24.00	
Mrs. Mary A. Holden, deed of lot,	24.00	
Charles Norberg, 1 burial,	1.00	
Mrs. Josiah Stebbins, deed of lot,	6.00	
Mrs. George W. Adams, deed of lot,	48.00	
Mass. Hospital for Epileptics, 1 burial,	1.00	
John Kimber, deed of lot,	15.00	
John P. Eastman, deed of lot,	24.00	
Mrs. Mary M. Nelson, deed of lot,	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$330.00

FOUR CORNERS CEMETERY.

B. D. Parsons, deed of lot,	\$8.00	
Myra C. Hamblen, deed of lot,	8.00	
Edwin L. Wright, N. Y., deed of lot,	8.00	
Henry G. Trumble, deed of lot,	8.00	
A. L. Warriner, deed of lot,	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$40.00

DUE THE TOWN FOR DEEDS.

Henry D. Converse,	\$14.50	
Edward Goodes,	22.00	
Adrian Miller,	8.00	
Frederick M. Ralton,	8.00	
George H. Fisherdict,	24.00	
	<hr/>	\$76.50

PERMANENT FUNDS.

Mrs. Mary A. Shaw fund,	\$100.00
E. B. Gates fund,	50.00

Henry Seism fund,	\$100.00
Minnie K. Bennett fund,	200.00
Laura E. Child fund,	500.00
Calista E. Hendrick fund,	100.00
Waterman Fuller fund,	200.00
James W. Snow fund,	100.00
John and Lucy Smith fund,	200.00
William A. Breckenridge fund,	200.00
John H. Haynes fund,	200.00
Franklin Blanchard fund,	100.00
	<hr/> \$2,050.00

We would recommend the appropriation of \$500.00—five hundred dollars.

Respectfully submitted,

H. E. W. CLARK,	{	<i>Cemetery</i> <i>Commissioners.</i>
H. G. LOOMIS,		
J. P. EASTMAN,		

2000

Tax Collector's Report.

Amount on Collector's book, 1899,	\$241.69	
Interest,	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$276.69
Claims allowed,	\$30.48	
Paid Treasurer,	246.21	
	<hr/>	\$276.69
Amount on Collector's book, 1900,	\$56,322.67	
Amount added,	323.59	
Interest,	70.37	
	<hr/>	\$56,716.63
Amount paid Treasurer,	\$49,052.15	
Discount,	3,130.98	
Amount paid since Oct. 1,	3,580.46	
Probable abatements,	500.00	
Balance to be collected,	453.04	
	<hr/>	\$56,716.63

Amount on Collector's book, 1901,	\$51,722.00	
Amount added,	417.98	
Interest,	57.95	
	<hr/>	\$52,197.93
Paid Treasurer,	\$50,251.63	
Probable abatements,	500.00	
Balance to be collected,	1,446.30	
	<hr/>	\$52,197.93

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Treasurer's Report.

FROM MARCH 7, 1901, TO APRIL 9, 1901.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury March 7, 1901,	\$4,118.59
Received of City of Northampton, pauper account,	48.00
Palmer Savings Bank, temporary loan,	3,200.00
Ed. Goodes, sewer license,	25.00
W. A. Barnes, auctioneer's license,	2.00
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	\$7,393 59

EXPENDITURES.

March, State and Military Aid,	\$152.00
Overseers of the Poor orders,	39.70
Selectmen's orders,	4,496.98
School Committee's orders,	2,164.95
Outstanding orders, Selectmen,	27.44
Outstanding orders, School Committee,	148.13
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	\$7,029.20
Total receipts,	\$7,393.59
Total expenditures,	7,029.20
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Balance paid to J. F. Holbrook, Treasurer,	\$364.39

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. SHAW, *Treasurer.*

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury April 9, 1901,	\$364.39
Received of J. A Hawkes, tax, 1899,	246.21
1900,	1,409.15
1901,	50,251.63
Received of State Treasurer, Corporation Tax,	1,116.10
National Bank Tax,	308.20
State aid,	1,532.00
Military aid,	72.00
Street Railway Tax,	1,679.37
Support State Paupers,	208.33
Temporary support State Paupers,	16.65
Burial State Paupers,	79.10
State Board of Charity,	3.90
Expense of contagious diseases,	7.50
Income Mass. School Fund,	767.44
Education of children in care of State Board of Charity,	170.00
County Treasurer, dog fund,	558.95
Sheriff Hampden County, fines,	69.00
A. E. Fitch, fines District Court,	61.64
A. O. Allen, lockup fees,	4.00
Peddlers' licenses,	180.00
Auctioneer's licenses,	2.00
Undertaker's licenses,	4.00
Pool licenses,	20.00
Slaughter-house licenses,	4.00
Tent show license,	2.00
Rent of school lot, Three Rivers,	5.00
Rent of Town House,	2.50
Palmer Savings Bank, temporary loan,	22,300.00
Town of Monson, pauper account,	18.77
" Warren, " "	22.43
" Brookfield, " "	9.50
" Wilbraham, " "	39.52
" Barre, " "	16.25
City of Worcester, " "	8.00

City of Chicopee, pauper account,	\$ 50.25
" Northampton, " "	44.00
Town of Monson, school tuition,	67.50
A. C. Thompson, Supt., tuition, etc.,	65.33
Sewer licenses,	225.00
Liquor licenses,	11,903.00
Sidewalk assessments,	215.45
Flynt B. and C. Co., use of engine,	22.50
Interest on Thompson fund,	38.42
" " Merrick fund,	29.99
" " Bank account,	81.28
Cemetery Commissioners,	370.00
Town of Belchertown, one-half cost painting and re- pairing bridge,	83.90
Return premium insurance on Blanchardville schoolhouse,	3.46
For Blanchardville schoolhouse,	265.00
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	\$95,024.61

EXPENDITURES.

Paid Palmer Savings Bank, interest,	\$ 379.67
Temporary loan,	19,000.00
State Treasurer, State tax,	1,837.50
National Bank tax,	1,392.12
One-fourth liquor licenses,	2,975.75
Repairing State Highway,	5.25
Amount paid town in error,	1.81
Paid Town Bonds,	1,600.00
Coupons,	560.00
Interest on Town Bonds,	680.00
Interest on Town Debt, Refunding Loan,	1,212.00
County Treasurer, County tax,	3,067.17
Town Bonds 7 and 8 Refunding Loan,	2,000.00
State aid,	1,521.00
Military aid,	132.00
Cost of District Court,	706.66
Selectmen's orders,	100.00
Cemetery Commissioners' orders,	586.98

Cemetery Commissioners' outstanding orders,	\$ 11.60
Selectmen's pay-roll orders,	25,176.45
Selectmen's outstanding pay-roll orders,	43.68
School Committee, pay rolls,	21,725.94
“ “ outstanding orders,	150.58
Overseers of Poor, orders,	9,210.04
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	\$94,076.20
Total receipts,	\$95,024.61
Total expenditures,	94,076.20
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Balance in treasury,	\$948.41

Respectfully submitted,

J. F. HOLBROOK, *Treasurer.*

There are on Selectmen's orders outstanding,	\$606.00
There are on School pay rolls outstanding,	794.26
There are Overseers of Poor orders outstanding,	261.92
There are the following unpaid notes at Palmer Savings Bank :	
Nov. 7, 1898, note for Y. M. L. A., cemetery and roads,	\$2,250.00
Jan. 9, 1902, note for Hallez case,	1,500.00
Jan. 24, 1902, note,	2,500.00
Feb. 28, 1902, note,	2,500.00

MARCH 10, 1902.

We have examined the accounts of the treasurer, and find them correct.

E. W. CARPENTER, }
C. A. LEGRO, } *Auditors.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SNOW BY-LAW.

The committee appointed for drafting a by-law relative to the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks in the town of Palmer submit the following report :

A BY-LAW FOR THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FROM SIDEWALKS.

SECTION 1. The tenant, occupant, and in case there be no tenant, the owner or person having the care of any estate abutting upon any sidewalk within the town of Palmer, shall, after the ceasing to fall of any snow thereon, within twenty-four hours, cause the same to be removed therefrom.

SEC. 2. Whenever any snow shall be collected or deposited upon any sidewalk within the said town of Palmer, either by falling from some adjoining building or by drifting upon said sidewalk, the tenant, occupant, and in case there be no tenant, the owner or person having charge of the estate abutting upon said sidewalk, shall, within twenty-four hours after any snow has been collected or deposited as aforesaid, cause the same to be removed therefrom.

SEC. 3. Whenever any sidewalk within the town of Palmer shall be encumbered with ice or sleet, it shall be the duty of the tenant, occupant, and in case there be no tenant, the owner or person having the care of the estate abutting thereon, to cause such sidewalk to be made safe and convenient for travel, by removing the ice therefrom, or by covering the same with sand or some other suitable substance, within twenty-four hours after such sidewalk shall have become so encumbered.

SEC. 4. The term "sidewalk" as used in the preceding sections of this by-law, shall mean any sidewalk laid out as such by the town or fire district, and any walk within the town of Palmer which is reserved by custom for the use of pedestrians, or which has been specially prepared for their use. It shall not include cross-walks, nor shall it include foot-paths or portions of public ways lying outside of the thickly-settled parts of any of the villages of the said town of Palmer, which are worn only by travel and are not improved by said town or by the abutters upon said public ways.

SEC. 5. Whoever shall violate, offend against, or fail to comply with any of the provisions of this by-law, shall for each and every offense pay a penalty of not less than two nor more than ten dollars.

SEC. 6. No person shall be prosecuted for any offense against any of the provisions of this by-law, unless complaint for the same shall be instituted and commenced within three months from the time of commission of such offense.

SEC. 7. The constables and police officers of the town of Palmer are especially charged to enforce this by-law and to see that its provisions are complied with.

Submitted October 21, 1901, by

DAVID F. DILLON.

ERNEST. E. HOBSON.

When not occupied by snow the same shall be kept in good repair
Provision for removal of snow

Young Men's Library Association.

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1902.

The year just closed has been the most active one in the history of the Library, the statistical record of its work being as follows:—

Number of volumes in the Library March 1, 1901,	5,849
purchased since,	311
donated,	20
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	331
Now in the Library,	6,180
Volumes loaned during the year :	
Fiction,	11,978
Other classes,	4,230
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Total,	16,208

This amounts to an average weekly circulation of nearly 312 volumes, and a daily average of 53. The number of people taking books during the year was 783, this not including the numerous patrons of the reading room, of whom no record is kept, but there are now 26 magazines and periodicals on file there, adapted to all ages, and all give evidence of thorough use. It is pleasant to note an increasing tendency to use the facilities of the library in the work of the schools, and any suggestions which will enlarge its usefulness in this line, as well as in any other, are gladly welcomed.

Donations have been received during the year as follows: United States Government, 7; State of Massachusetts, 8; State Board of Insanity, 1; City of Boston, 1; Massachusetts Society of Sons of the Revolution, 1; Mrs. W. H. Haile and family, 1; "One Who Loves to Give," 1.

CHAS. B. FISKE, *Librarian.*

REPORT OF THE TREASURER.

Cash on hand March 1, 1901,	\$731.34	
Received from fines, sale of catalogues, etc.,	44.00	
G. A. R., for coal,	21.77	
Books sold,	5.41	
Rebate, subscription overpaid,	2.00	
Town of Palmer,	500.00	
Paid for books,		\$577.01
Papers and magazines,		55.92
Cataloging,		37.50
Rebinding books,		35.15
New shelving,		35.00
Attendant. Miss May E. Robinson,	200.00	
Supplies,	22.99	
Freight, express, cartage and postage,	17.31	
Fuel and lights,	216.89	
Janitor,	83.00	
Cash on hand March 1, 1902.		23.75
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	\$1,304.52	\$1,304.52

LOUIS E. CHANDLER, *Treasurer.*

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Young Men's Library Association and find them correct as above.

JOHN F. TWISS, *Auditor.*

Town Warrant.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, }
HAMPDEN, } ss.

*To either of the Constables of the Town of Palmer,
in said County.*

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn all the inhabitants of the Town of Palmer, qualified to vote in elections of town officers, to meet at the several polling places, in said Palmer, designated by the Selectmen, to wit: In Precinct A, at the Engine House on Park street in the Depot Village; in Precinct B, at Temperance Hall on Commercial street in Thorndike; in Precinct C, at Ruggles' Hall on East Main street in Three Rivers; and in Precinct D, at Holden's Old Store in Bondsville, on Monday, the 17th day of March, A. D. 1902, at six o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes on one ballot to the precinct officers of the several voting precincts of said town, for the following town officers, to wit: Three Selectmen, three Assessors, a Town Clerk, a Town Treasurer, a Collector of Taxes, two Auditors, five Constables and three Fence Viewers, all for the term of one year; one Overseer of the Poor for three years, one member of the School Committee for two years, two members of the School Committee for three years, one member of the Board of Health for one year, one member of the Board of Health for three years, and one Cemetery Commissioner for three years; also to vote by ballot, which shall be Yes or No, in answer to the question, " Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town. "

The polls will be open at six o'clock in the forenoon and may be closed at three o'clock in the afternoon.

And you are further hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Palmer, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at the Town House at Four Corners, in said Palmer, on Monday, the 24th day of March, A. D. 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles, viz. :

ARTICLE 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose two or more Field Drivers, Measurers of Wood and Bark, and all other usual town officers. *See Order 22/100*

ART. 3. To see if the town will vote to hire the present tramp room and lockup. *Yes*

ART. 4. To act on the reports of the town officers.

ART. 5. To raise money and make appropriations to defray the expenses of the town for the ensuing year.

ART. 6. To see if the town will authorize its treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of the taxes for the ensuing year, the same to be paid from said taxes. *Yes*

ART. 7. To see if the town will authorize its treasurer to borrow money not to be paid from the taxes of the ensuing year. *Post*

ART. 8. To hear and act on reports of committees.

ART. 9. To choose committees and give them instructions.

ART. 10. To see if the town will allow a discount and determine what interest shall be paid on the taxes to be assessed for the ensuing year. *See at the after Oct 1st*

ART. 11. To determine the manner and state the terms and conditions of collecting the taxes for the ensuing year, and fix the compensation of the collector of taxes. *\$500*

ART. 12. To determine the manner of repairing the highways and bridges for the ensuing year. *See Order*

ART. 13. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquors. *\$100*

ART. 14. To act on the list of Jurors as prepared by the selectmen. *See Order*

ART. 15. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the Young Men's Library Association. *\$1000*

ART. 16. To see if the town will raise money to convey pupils to and from the public schools, and instruct the School Committee as to the manner of letting the contract for such conveyance. *\$200*

ART. 17. To see if the town will vote to raise money for the celebration of Memorial Day. *\$100*

ART. 18. To see what action the town will take in relation to sewers.

ART. 19. To see what action the town will take in regard to lighting the streets, and whether it will authorize the selectmen to make contract therefor. *\$2000 - 1st with selectmen*

✓ ART. 20. To see what action the town will take in reference to the planting and preservation of shade trees.

✓ ART. 21. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money for the care and improvement of cemeteries. \$500

ART. 22. To see what action the town will take in regard to sidewalks. 500⁰⁰ - 300⁰⁰

ART. 23. To see if the town will vote to maintain night police in the several villages, and appropriate money for the same, or take any action relative thereto. 1000⁰⁰

✓ ART. 24. To see what action the town will take relative to suits and claims now pending against the town. 500⁰⁰

✓ ART. 25. To see if the town will adopt a by-law relative to the cleaning of snow and ice from the sidewalks of the town or pass any vote in relation thereto. 1000⁰⁰

ART. 26. To see if the town will vote to change the course of the drain on Commercial street in the Depot Village, and cover the same, according to plan of sewers in Depot Village, or take any action relative thereto and raise and appropriate money for the same. 400⁰⁰

ART. 27. To see if the town will vote to extend the sewer in North Main street in the Depot Village to a point nearly opposite the house of the late Ebenezer Brown and raise and appropriate money for the same. 400⁰⁰

ART. 28. To see if the town will vote to construct sewers in Squire street, King street and Highland avenue in the Depot Village, and raise and appropriate money for the same. 1000⁰⁰

ART. 29. To see if the town will vote to build sewers in Fox avenue, South Main street, Dublin and River streets in the Depot Village, and raise and appropriate money for the same. 300⁰⁰

ART. 30. To see if the town will vote to construct a sewer in Bourne street, Three Rivers, and raise and appropriate money for the same. 2500⁰⁰

ART. 31. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars for necessary aid to soldiers and sailors and their families, and the families of the slain, and entrust the same to L. L. Merrick Post of the Grand Army of the Republic under the provisions of law.

✓ ART. 32. To see if the town will vote to build an extension of the sewer in Park street in the Depot Village about 14 rods easterly from its easterly terminus, and raise and appropriate money for the same. 2500⁰⁰

ART. 33. To see if the town will vote to build a sewer in East street in Bondsville from a point near the barn of Clark & Hastings to the river, and raise and appropriate money for the same. 1895

ART. 34. To see if the town will vote to build a new bridge over the Quaboag River at Three Rivers, or take any action relative thereto, and raise and appropriate money for the same.

ART. 35. To see if the town will vote to work Main street in Bondsville to a greater width than at present from a point near the Catholic church southerly to a point near the dwelling house of B. D. Parsons, and raise and appropriate money for the same. 1895

ART. 36. To see if the town will vote to build a shed in which to store the road roller, engine and crusher, and raise and appropriate money for the same. 1895

ART. 37. To see if the town will vote to dispose of its interest in the unused bridge over the Swift river at Bondsville to the Boston Duck company, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 38. To see if the town will vote to make repairs upon the steamer and raise and appropriate money for the same. 1895

ART. 39. To see if the town will vote to lay pipe and establish hydrants in Main and Commercial streets in the village of Thorndike and locate a chemical engine for fire protection, and raise and appropriate money for the same. Come 95

ART. 40. To see if the town will reconsider the action taken at the last annual meeting whereby it was voted to accept a town way as laid out by the selectmen, the same being a continuation of Converse avenue connecting with Thorndike street in the Depot Village.

And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at the different public places designated by the vote of the town, seven days at least before the holding of said meeting and cause this warrant to be printed in the Palmer Journal, at least two issues before holding of said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with you doing thereon, to the Town Clerk, on or before the holding of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 6th day of March, A. D. 1902.

JOHN F. TWISS,	} Selectmen of Palmer.
CHAS. L. HOLDEN,	
C. H. HOBBS,	

